

REPORT BATTLE IN GREECE

Announce \$50,000 Gift To Jameson Memorial Hospital Fund

Johnson Bronze Company Boosts Drive By \$50,000

Workers In Hospital Campaign Enthusiastic Over Prospects of Reaching \$750,000 Goal

FORMAL REPORTS TO COME MONDAY

One of the finest gifts in New Castle history was revealed today in the announcement that Johnson Bronze Company has subscribed \$50,000 to the Jameson Memorial hospital expansion fund.

It came just as the hospital appeal passed the halfway mark in its push toward the \$750,000 goal.

In addition to the \$50,000 corporate gift, J. Preston Flaherty, president of the company, subscribed \$15,000 and E. M. Flaherty, vice-president, subscribed \$2,500.

P. J. Flaherty, chairman of the board, had already made a gift of \$15,000 to help start the campaign at the opening dinner of the advance gifts and industrial divisions.

This is a total of \$70,000 in gifts from the Johnson Bronze Company and the Flaherty family.

Announced Today

Announcement of these subscriptions was made by James M. Smith, Jr., industrial chairman of the campaign.

"The generous contributions of the Johnson Bronze organization will go a long way toward making possible the expansion of Jameson Memorial hospital for the people of this area," Mr. Smith said.

"Our community has taken a big step forward in its effort to provide adequate hospital facilities. All of us will go to work with renewed determination, as a result of this precedent-shattering gift, to see to it that our campaign goal is met and exceeded."

Next formal reports in the campaign will be made Monday.

OFFICE TERMINATED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—President Truman, by executive order, terminated the office of Scientific Research and Development today.

The agency was charged during wartime with development of secret weapons.

Pa Newc Observes

New Castle and Lawrence county had a most unusual Christmas Day, from a weather standpoint. There was no sign of rain or snow, the sun shining brightly throughout the day. There was no snow or ice on the streets and highways, it being a perfect day for motoring.

Despite the fine conditions for travel, however, there was no great amount of traffic on the highways.

"White Christmas" arrived in New Castle a day late. Quite a noticeable snowfall was in evidence this morning, with indications of more to follow.

This community was fortunate over the holiday period, there being no reports of any serious accidents, nor fatalities as a result of accidents.

Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a. m. today follow:

Maximum temperature, 39.

Minimum temperature, 24.

Precipitation, .05 inches, half inch of snow.

River stage, 4.7 feet.

Statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 o'clock Thursday morning are as follows:

Maximum temperature, 38.

Minimum temperature, 10.

No precipitation.

Tojo Launches Defense In War Crimes Trial

By JOHN C. RICH
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

TOKYO, Dec. 26.—Hideki Tojo, the man who "pressed the button" for the Pearl Harbor attack, took the witness stand and launched his own defense today with the charge that the western powers "provoked" Japan into striking the first blow of the Pacific war.

History's longest trial, now closing its 19th month, reached its tensely waited climax as the diminutive author of Japan's disastrous bid for hemispheric supremacy mounted the stand to defend himself against war crimes charges.

The one-time warlord spoke only two clipped affirmations in his first appearance as a witness in the historic drama of which he is the central figure.

When his name was called, Tojo rose from his chair in the defendants box, as bright as lights were (Continued on Page Two)

House Probe In Officers' Pensions To Be Extended

Committee To Investigate Last-Minute Boost In Rank Before Retirement

SEVERAL HUNDRED TO BE INCLUDED

By RAYMOND WILCOVE
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—House investigators today probed the "Mexican promotions" of several hundred army reserve officers who retired with lifetime tax-exempt pensions after receiving last-minute boosts in rank.

The investigation is being made as part of an overall study of the army-navy-air force retirement systems which has been underway for the past six months by a house armed service subcommittee headed by Rep. Elston (R) Ohio.

Probe Is Spurred

The investigation was spurred by the disclosure that Maj. Gen. (Continued on Page Two)

New Blizzards Heading For New England

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Snow-covered New England was warned today of another impending blanket of white, ranging from five to eight inches.

Two violent blizzards are headed for New England, the weather bureau reported the two storm centers, one moving eastward from Michigan and the other north from Cape Hatteras and Virginia, will merge in the Boston area.

Winds of 25 to 30 miles an hour are expected to bluster in with the snow. Storm warnings of 40 to 50 miles an hour were hoisted at daybreak.

Municipal authorities, in Boston and New England made frantic preparations to deal with the precipitation which in many parts may accumulate on already hard-packed icy snow.

Police sent out a general warning to all motorists in New England advising extreme caution.

Finds Bracelet; Lost For Year, Tree Trimmings

SOMERVILLE, Mass., Dec. 26.—(INS)—There is one woman in West Somerville today who believes there must be a Santa Claus.

A year ago, Mrs. Anne Gigli stored her Christmas trimmings. Later she reported the loss of her diamond and sapphire bracelet.

This year when she unwrapped the trimmings the bracelet—long given up for lost—rolled out on the floor.

She told police the bracelet must have slipped off her wrist while she was wrapping the trimmings last year.

Pittsburgh Couple Killed By Fumes

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The coroner's office today termed accidental the deaths yesterday of Joseph Griffin, 42, Pittsburgh railroad man, and his wife, Viola, 46, whose bodies were found in their gas-filled apartment.

The two were apparently preparing to do to the home of a relative for Christmas dinner when they were overcome by carbon monoxide from a small gas heater, police said.

Two Small Fires Call Out Firemen

Not A Single Alarm Is Answered Here On Christmas Day, Harper Reports

Not a single fire was reported on Christmas Day. Assistant Chief George W. Harper stated today, but two calls were received for minor blazes over the holiday period, one occurring Wednesday afternoon and one this morning.

At 8 o'clock this morning, firemen were summoned to the home of B. H. Steinbrink, 1119 Cunningham avenue, when the furnace became overheated. No action was required.

At 2:15 p. m. Wednesday an alarm from box 514 summoned firemen to the home of Joseph Cambro, 506½ E. Lutton street, where some rags were found smoldering in the basement. The damage was slight.

Truman Will Not Recommend Tax Reduction

Will Stand Pat on Refusal Despite Estimate of Five-Six Billion Surplus

EXPECT TREASURY TO SUGGEST CUT

By WILLIAM THEIS
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The administration now estimates it will have a budget surplus of five to six billion dollars next June 30 but President Truman is standing pat on his refusal to recommend tax reductions to Congress in January.

A responsible Democratic source said today this is the budget outlook, despite an expected treasury recommendation that the income tax burden be eased with increased exemptions and a community property proviso.

Holds Fast To Contention

President Truman, it is understood, will hold fast for the (Continued on Page Two)

Heavy Snow Is Falling In East

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The heaviest snowstorm in nearly four years hit New York today.

At 12:30 p. m. (EST) Benjamin Parry, the New York City weatherman, said that 11.5 inches had fallen since the snow started around 3 a. m.

He predicted that there might be 15 inches by 7:30 p. m., when the storm is expected to end.

Today's storm was the heaviest since 10.1 inches fell on New York City February 11 and 12, 1944.

All transportation was crippled as it continued to snow at the rate of three-quarters of an inch an hour.

The police department closed the upper roadway of the Queensboro bridge to all traffic at 11 a. m.

The swirling storm blanketed an area extending from New England to Washington, D. C.

Postpone Attempt To Rescue Airmen

WESTOVER FIELD, Mass., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Bad weather today forced a postponement until tomorrow of the attempted rescue of nine downed army airmen from a barren lake in the Labrador wilderness.

Army authorities at Westover Field were notified by radio that a specially equipped transport plane would attempt to rescue the men, who have already survived two nights of sub-zero cold, tomorrow morning, weather permitting.

TWINS, CHRISTMAS GIFT

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Pittsburgh hospitals reported a total of 53 children born Christmas day. Girls led the boys 28 to 25, with one set of twin boys reported.

Stimson Discloses U.S. Military Leaders Left Confused By Roosevelt

BY EARL MARCKES
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Former Secretary of War Stimson said today that President Roosevelt's insistence on personal direction of U. S. war policy left the nation's military leaders confused over the execution of his decisions.

Stimson's statement was made in the first installment of his wartime biography, "On Active Service," which is being published in the Ladies Home Journal.

Collaborating with Stimson on the book, which is written in third person, was MacGeorge Bundy, a junior fellow of the Society of Fellows at Harvard University.

Two-Year Controversy

A bitter two-year Anglo-American controversy over unrelenting U. S. demands for a second front in France was also disclosed for the first time in Stimson's book, which contains his hitherto unpublished diary.

Stimson revealed that he had numerous heated arguments with Winston Churchill and other British leaders over a second front. They contended, he said, that available troops and supplies should be utilized in other theaters, especially the Mediterranean.

Even the late Mr. Roosevelt had to be convinced, Stimson related. In July, 1942, Stimson and Gen. George C. Marshall, then chief of staff, were so concerned over the British lassitude that they suggested the U. S. concentrate its forces on Japan. But Mr. Roosevelt was unwavering.

He admitted his proposal was a "bluff," but indicated it was designed to induce British and American leaders to support Stimson-Marshall strategy as the quickest method of defeating Germany.

Second List Of Speculators About Ready

Mounting Pressure Reported For Separate List of Government Workers

STASSEN'S CHARGES PROVING FACTOR

BY FRANK B. ALLEN
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Agriculture Secretary Anderson pushed preparation of his second list of commodity traders today amidst mounting pressure for a separate "pay dirt" listing of government workers who have been playing the market.

The Agriculture Department is nearly ready to issue the names of 1200 traders in wheat on the Chicago exchange on April 30, 1946. There may be some government workers on the list, installment No. 2 of a "master sheet" of between 14,000 and 20,000 names, but commodity exchange authority experts said they would not be so labeled.

Larger Lists Coming

Later—and bigger—lists will show traders in Chicago wheat on Feb. 28 and Sept. 17, 1947. It had been planned that these lists, too, would contain only names and addresses, but there are growing indications that Anderson will yield to demands that occupations also be shown.

The lists are being published at the direction of Congress as a result of charges that commodity speculation—some of it by government "insiders"—is at least partially to blame for the inflationary rise in prices of foods.

The pressure for an immediate, definite listing of government people (Continued on Page Two)

Typhoon Strikes In Philippines

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—NBC's Manila correspondent radioed today that 65 deaths and injuries have resulted from the typhoon that is sweeping the Philippines.

MANILA, Dec. 26.—(INS)—At least three persons were killed and 11 injured in Manila by a destructive typhoon that shrieked through the capital today after wreaking havoc in other cities and areas of the Philippine Islands.

The city of Tacloban on Leyte island was reported in flames as the result of the violent storm which also put two foreign ships in distress in Philippine waters.

Tonight the typhoon, dubbed "Jean," was swirling out to the China sea. President Manuel Roxas declared an emergency holiday for government workers and ordered all police forces to give utmost aid to storm sufferers.

Man Found Dead In Ellwood City

ELLWOOD CITY, Pa., Dec. 26.—Discovery of the body of a man, believed to be John Rafferty, aged about 70 years, who resided in a small house on the property of the P. & L. E. Railroad company, at the foot of 12th street, was made about 8:15 a. m. today. Deputy Coroner Charles E. Allen, who investigated, is of the opinion that the man had suffered a heart attack, and had fallen into a culvert alongside the tracks.

The body was removed to the Patton funeral home awaiting positive identification and arrangements for burial.

Death evidently occurred late Christmas Day, while the man was picking up coal from along the right of way of the railroad company.

AUTO SKIDS INTO TREE, ONE KILLED

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Dec. 26.—(INS)—One person was killed and two other injured today when their automobile skidded into a tree in Wilkes-Barre.

Police identified the dead man as William Walters, 28, of Wilkes-Barre. Miss Maryland Jackson, 19, was admitted to Wilkes-Barre General Hospital and Alfred Rollins, 26, was discharged after treatment of minor injuries, according to police.

Report LaFollette May Head Marshall Plan

By WILLIAM K. HUTCHINSON
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Former Senator Robert M. LaFollette, of Wisconsin, appears today to be the administration's first choice to administer the four-year seventeen-billion-dollar Marshall plan for aid to Europe.

A reliable source says President Truman favors the appointment of LaFollette, a Progressive Republican who is extremely popular on Capitol Hill, in order to take administration of the program out of domestic politics.

Second Choice?

The administration's second choice reportedly is Lewis W. Douglas, American ambassador to Great Britain, former budget director and former congressman.

One administration authority said it was "much too early" to name the Marshall administrator (Continued on Page Two)

Quiet Christmas Reported Locally

Balmy "Easter-Like" Day Is Experienced "White Christmas" Is Day Late

All that "dreaming of a white Christmas" failed to materialize this year. Unless you want to settle for a white Christmas a day late. For Christmas 1947 set a new record for balminess.

The day was bright, the temperature was up, and it looked more like Easter than Christmas. A day that was built for visiting friends, taking walks, or practicing some chip shots out in the back yard.

Quiet Downtown

Downtown New Castle was quiet. The maestro of traffic that had marked the downtown for a couple of weeks was gone, the parking meters stood languidly at their (Continued on Page Two)

Two Trainmen In Florida Wreck Suffer Injuries

MIAMI, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Two trainmen were injured today and a number of passengers were shaken up when several cars of a southbound freight train toppled against a northbound Florida East Coast passenger train on the outskirts of Miami.

Eleven cars of the freight train and three baggage cars on the end of the Diesel-powered streamliner were derailed.

The passenger train continued on its way after the damaged baggage cars were uncoupled.

Crewmen Injured

Florida East Coast railway spokesmen said the engineer and another trainman were injured and taken to a hospital.

None of the passengers was seriously injured.

Both trains were traveling fast in opposite directions and the freight cars apparently were weaving from side to side so violently that they toppled over, striking the last three cars of the streamliner.

Baggage was strewn over a wide area around the tracks.

The accident occurred near northeast 120th street.

Says Russia Is Far Behind U. S. In Science

By THURSTON MCCAULEY
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

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Although Dr. Cori's own field is medicine, he made it plain that he considered the USSR to be lagging behind the USA in all branches of science.

He declined yesterday to be drawn out further into a discussion of atomic development.

"I am not an atomic scientist," he added, "so I leave any comment on strictly atomic development in the Soviet Union and elsewhere to those qualified to speak authoritatively of that field."

SHARON STEEL CORP. MAKES BIG PURCHASE

SHARON, Pa., Dec. 26.—(INS)—The Sharon Steel Corp., has purchased the Domestic Coke Corp., Fairmont, W. Va., from Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey, President H. A. Roemer announced today.

Included in the purchase are 15 million tons of coal lands and 60 by-products coke ovens with a monthly capacity of 25,000 tons.

DEATH RECORD

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Greek Regulars And Guerrillas In Stiff Battle

Battle Follows Announcement So-Called Leftist Government Formed

REPORT REBELS SUFFER HEAVILY

BULLETIN

ATHENS, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Greek War Minister Gen. George Stratos left Athens today to take personal command of government troops seeking to dislodge heavy guerrilla forces in northern Epirus.

Savage fighting was reported under way in and near the towns of Konitsa and Borani where the rebels are attempting to gain territory as a seat for the so-called "free" government whose formation was announced on Christmas eve.

By ALKAIOS ANGELOPOULOS
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

Greece May Face Role Similar To Spain Back In '36

By JOHN A. REICHMANN
(U. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Diplomatic quarters believe establishment of a Red government in northern Greece will force the United States to increase support for the Athens national regime, possibly provide direct aid, or abandon the Truman doctrine for Greece and Turkey.

Observers regard the situation today as having all the elements of one of the most important developments in relations between the western world and Russia and her satellites.

These analysts generally do not believe that the situation could become explosive enough to touch off hostilities between any of the major powers.

The danger is believed ever present, however, that if the United States gives increasing support to the Athens government and Moscow lends equal support to the self-proclaimed guerrilla regime, Greece may become the same sort of proving grounds that Spain was in 1936.

United States officials are anxiously awaiting official reports on the situation to determine the rocking implications of the move but undoubtedly the new development will force a complete reassessment of American policy.

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Ashing Crews Out Since 3:30 Today

State Highway department ashing crews have been out on highways of Lawrence county since 3:30 a. m. today, it was announced at the highway garage this morning.

All trucks and crews were on the roads which were blanketed with snow throughout the county. The wet snow made traveling very hazardous and continual application of cinders was necessary to keep traffic moving.

The crews will remain on the job until the snow stops falling.

Arthur Mometer

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McGill Students Present Program

Over 200 Visitors Witness Annual Presentation At Arthur McGill Grade School

Students of Arthur McGill school and some 200 parents and friends enjoyed an adaptation of Charles Dickens' Christmas Carol in the school auditorium Tuesday afternoon.

Bruce Brown made a very believable Scrooge and Susan Shira ably read the Narrator. Eerie and realistic were the ghosts brought to life by Lloyd Skole, Ronnie Robinson, Tom Steele and Dick Goddard. Members of the Cratchit family were portrayed by the following: Robert Mitchell, Penny Thompson, Gerald Pander, Ruth Gibson, Shirley Emerick and Kay Ann Dagnon. Sam Pearson, Jim Wilson, Betty Lou Herman, Sanna Osborne, Gary McKissick, Mary Eileen Moncrief, Joe Lockley, Robert Valle and Jack McNamara.

The stage managers were Anthony Casasanta and Bobby Prioletti, while the prompter was Lynn Caplan. Costumes were in charge of Deane Deegan. The dialogue was interspersed with carols sung by the carolers and a chorus of 50 voices.

The other features of the program were two plays, a choral reading and pantomime entitled "The Plot To Kidnap Santa Claus". Betty Kirk sang "Away In A Manger".

Other participants included David Schantz, Patty Lasky, Susan Perry, Ann Mansfield, Gwen Bay, Margaret Zahniser, Patricia Wilson, Gordon Emley, Sammy Kulkin, Lynn Slovinsky and David Turner.

Margaret Preston conducted the chorus and Margaret McCracken directed the dramatics. J. A. Hartman is principal of McGill.

FIRE IN CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Dec. 26.—(INS)—A spectacular five-alarm fire was raging today through a large two-story brick building at East 21st street and Chester avenue near downtown Cleveland.

Witnesses said the blaze apparently broke out in the Hawkins Tire Company on the first floor and spread rapidly to the second floor occupied by the Skang Bowling Alleys.

According to first reports, all occupants of the building fled to safety. Damage is expected to mount above the \$100,000 mark.

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TRUMAN WILL NOT RECOMMEND TAX REDUCTION

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mediate future to his contention that any surplus government funds should be used to reduce the public debt.

Democrats expect the tax-cut door to be left open to the extent that Mr. Truman would assent if the inflationary spiral were broken or if the Marshall Plan should cost less than anticipated.

Pressure upon Democratic leaders for a 1948 tax cut has increased with introduction of the GOP tax reduction bill in the House. This measure would save taxpayers five billion 600 million dollars and included both the community property and personal exemption features.

Net Figure
The estimate of five-to-six billion dollars as a fiscal 1948 surplus is described as a net figure after allowance of one and one half billion dollars for the first three months of the Marshall Plan.

President Truman successfully vetoed two Republican tax reduction bills, each calling for a tax saving of four billion dollars, during 1947. Efforts were made by some Democrats to write the popular community property revision into these bills.

This feature would permit husband and wives to split their income for tax purposes, a benefit now enjoyed in 14 states.

GOP leaders are confident they will be able to pass a tax cut bill over another Presidential veto. Inclusion of the boost in exemptions and community property proposals would strengthen their chances, administration supporters agree.

For this reason, the White House will be urged strongly by Democrats cognizant of 1948's election struggle to beat the Republicans to the punch with at least a minimum tax-reduction offering.

MANY IN DANGER FROM SNIPERS IN PALESTINE AREAS

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troops and commando forces of Hagana, military arm of the Jewish agency.

The British maintained a strict patrol over the area following rumors that saboteurs intended to blow up the bridge.

A four-year-old Jewish girl was killed during the forenoon today by a sniper's bullet at Holon, outside Jaffa.

Thursday's casualties included a former American Army soldier, Carmi Rabinowitz, and a former Olympics games champion, Elio Katz, who won the 5,000 meter race in the 1928 games at Amsterdam, Holland, where he represented Finland.

Jerusalem, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The head of the Jewish agency's youth immigration department and four other Jews were killed today when Arabs ambushed and attacked two Jewish convoys near Jerusalem. Seventeen Jews were wounded.

At the same time, Subhi Sharif, Arab rebel commander in the Jerusalem district, was killed near the Damascus gate when his bodyguard accidentally discharged a Sten gun.

YOUNG PROGRESSIVES

Members of the Young Progressives club will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the South Mill street club rooms with Orlando Alfara, president, in charge.

FIND CAR WRECKED

Plymouth car stolen from Wilson Used Car Lot, Taylor street, was found by city police today in Taylor street. A suspect was placed under arrest and will be questioned this afternoon.

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Shenango Pottery Employees To Have Annual Yule Party

Members Of Various Pottery Clubs And Families Will Be Entertained Saturday Eve

One of the finest programs in years has been arranged for the annual Christmas party for Shenango Pottery Company's She-Po-Co clubs and their families, which will take place on Saturday evening in The Cathedral.

Movies have been planned for the early arrivals, starting at 7:15 o'clock, and at 8:15, the Shepo-Co Varieties will be presented. This will consist of several fine acts, to be presented by the best talent in the district, all members of Shenango's family.

This will be followed by a minstrel show, starting at 9:15 o'clock, with the one and only Joe Must, taking over as interactor, assisted by a cast of 100.

Dancing will follow in the ball room until midnight. Plans are being made to entertain around 3,000 people, which will tax the capacity of the Cathedral auditorium.

SECOND LIST OF SPECULATORS ABOUT READY

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ple was increased by reports that the agriculture secretary has the names of 71 state, local and federal employees who were in the wheat market on Sept. 17.

Stassen's Charges Factor
Another factor is the charge by Harold Stassen, GOP presidential aspirant, that the Truman administration is issuing a "show of irrelevant statistics" for the "obvious purpose of confusing and distracting" the public.

Anderson's first list, naming 711 "big time" commodity traders, contained only one government employee—Edwin W. Pauley, special assistant to the secretary of the army, whose market activities were already widely known as a result of congressional hearings.

Another demand for a clear-cut publication of government people in the market came from Rep. Mackinnon (R) Minn. Mackinnon sent a wire to Anderson demanding that the names be made available to the House committee which is investigating the possibility that government personnel used "inside" knowledge for personal profit.

Chairman Andressen (R) Minn., of the House committee, raised the possibility that Anderson may be beaten to the draw by Capitol Hill on the issuance of government names.

Andressen announced that he has his own list of government people who are commodity gamblers on the side, and added that it contained "some very interesting names." He hinted that his list might be published after his committee pushes its investigation a bit further.

Andressen also said that Stassen, who set off the furor over possible speculation by government "insiders", would probably be invited to appear before the committee and tell all he knows on the subject.

Rep. Spence (D) Ky., challenged Stassen to appear before the House group and prove his charges. Spence said Stassen made the accusations for political purposes.

TOJO LAUNCHES DEFENSE IN WAR CRIMES TRIAL

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turned on, and was escorted by two white-helmeted American military police officers to the witness stand.

He fumbled with his horn-rimmed spectacles and with the side-pocket flaps of his high-collared, olive-drab army uniform as he swore to tell the truth "according to my conscience."

Having taken the oath, Japan's "Pearl Harbor premier" removed his glasses while he signed and affixed the seal to a sworn statement he had written in jail, giving his version of the momentous events that kindled the Pacific phase of World War Two.

Occasionally he scowled and blinked under the glare of the arc lights, but the few words he spoke were uttered in a clear, firm voice.

After the day's session before the international Far East tribunal in Tokyo was adjourned, Tojo staked five minutes longer in order to reenact the swearing in ceremony with the court's marshals for the benefit of a battery of news and newsreel photographers.

QUIET CHRISTMAS REPORTED LOCALLY

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posts, and almost everything including restaurants were closed.

Services in some of the downtown churches attracted many, but the temporary flurry of traffic was soon over. Everybody it seemed wanted to get home and try out Junior's new train, or crack that new book.

For the sales personnel of the downtown stores the closing bell Wednesday night sounded like Beethoven's Ninth Symphony. It marked the end of a frantic Christmas rush that topped anything seen in years. There was lots of gift money floating about and people took advantage of it.

"It's amazing," said one proprietor. "With prices as high as they are you would think people would turn to the cheaper things. They haven't they're still buying quality."

It was a great day. Disappointing perhaps to the kids that got new sleds or skates, but ideal for the bicycle set. With today of course starting to knit the white blanket.

Soap was used as long ago as the second century. Castile soap is so named because of the soap factories that existed in Spain as early as the eighth century.

Deaths Of The Day

Willis Earl Boak

Willis Earl Boak, aged 59 years, of Earl Boak, died Thursday in St. Vincent's hospital, Cleveland, O., as the result of injuries, sustained in an automobile accident on December 17.

Born in Princeton, June 26, 1888, he was a son of the late Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Boak. Mr. Boak, a former member of the First Presbyterian church, this city, was a teacher in the New Castle senior high school during 1911 and 1912.

The deceased was employed as a director of paint research for the American Steel and Wire company, of the Church of the Covenant, Cleveland, the American Chemical society, American Engineering society, and Masonic Order of New Castle.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Carolyn Stevens Boak; one daughter, Mrs. Clifford Erikson, Cleveland; a son, Robert E. Boak, Cleveland; one brother, R. Harold Boak, this city, and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Mrs. Nancy Minerva McCurdy Boak, in 1903, and by his father in 1926.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday evening at 7 o'clock from the DeVand funeral home, 1130 Euclid avenue, Cleveland. Interment will take place Sunday at Mt. Hermon cemetery, near Princeton.

Mrs. Angeline Dudek

Mrs. Angeline Dudek, aged 60 years, of 1804 South Jefferson street, died in the New Castle hospital Thursday at 6:15 a. m., following several months illness.

Mrs. Dudek was born in Poland, August 10, 1887, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Constant Keczmer. She lived here for 25 years, following several years as resident of Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Dudek was a member of SS. Philip and James' church, Holy Rosary society of the church and the Polish Roman Catholic Union of the church, and a member of the St. Joseph's Polish Women's Alliance. Mrs. Dudek was a devoted church member and gave untiringly of her time to the church.

Her husband preceded her in death 12 years ago.

Surviving are her sons, Stephen and Frank of this city; Louis of Ellwood City; and daughters, Mrs. John Emery, Mrs. Anthony Jasinski, of Beaver Falls, Pa.; Mrs. Frank Heinkel of Ellwood City; Mrs. Walter Szykiewicz, and Mrs. Cora Sliwka, of Pittsburgh, Pa. She leaves 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday at 9 a. m., from the residence and requiem high mass at 9:30 a. m. in SS. Philip and James' church, Rev. Fr. V. Stancielewski in charge. Burial will be in family plot at Madonna cemetery. Friends may call at the residence at any time.

Mrs. Joseph T. Booth

Mrs. Ann Lawton Booth, aged 97 years, died Thursday evening 7:50 o'clock at the home of her son, Joseph T. Booth, 730 Chestnut street. She was the widow of Joseph Thomas Booth.

Born November 14, 1850, in Tunstall, England, she was a daughter of the late Edward and Letitia Lawton. The deceased attended the Croton Methodist church.

Survivors include four children: Mrs. Letitia Roberts, England; Mrs. Edith Rhodabaugh, Mrs. Isabella Masters and Joseph T. Booth, all of New Castle, 14 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Cunningham funeral home, East Washington at Chestnut, with Rev. Owen W. Shields officiating. Interment will take place in Castle View Burial Park.

Friends will be received at the funeral home this evening and Saturday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Jane Sample Chambers

Mrs. Jane Sample Chambers, of West Grant street ext., died in Overlook Sanatorium, New Wilmington, at 12:25 this morning, following illness of complications.

She was the widow of the late Hugh H. Chambers, who preceded her in death in 1931.

She was the daughter of the late Luther H. and Mary Shannon Sample of Walnut Glen, Mahoningtown; was born in this city, May 14, 1888, and has resided in New Castle, all her life. She was a member of Central Presbyterian church.

The late Mrs. Chambers is survived by one son, Alec, of this city; one daughter, Mrs. Dorothea Trout, of Washington, D. C.; two sisters, Mrs. Clara H. Neal, Grass Valley, Calif.; Mrs. Rachel Blosser, Los Angeles, Calif.; three brothers, Luther H. Sample Jr., Thomas Sample, both of Los Angeles; Oliver H. Sample, of Pittsburgh, and several nieces and nephews.

The body has been removed to Mahoning Funeral Home, 101 West Madison avenue, where funeral services will be conducted by her pastor, Dr. R. Meade Patterson on Monday afternoon, at 2:30, with interment in Valley View cemetery.

At the funeral home, the family will meet friends on Saturday and Sunday evenings, from 7 to 9, and Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4.

Charles Ehrbar

Charles Ehrbar, aged 58 years, of the B. & O. restaurant, died this morning at 2:50 a. m., in the New Castle hospital. He had been confined to the hospital since December 18.

The obituary will be published tomorrow.

Mrs. Emma Jane Michael

Mrs. Emma Jane Scholler Michael, wife of Kimbey Michael, of High street, New Wilmington, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elta Reno, R.D. 7, Ellwood City, Thursday evening. Death was attributed to coronary thrombosis.

Born in Mercer, August 10, 1880, she was the daughter of John and Christina Moyer Scholler. In 1903 she was married to Kimbey

Michael. She was a member of the Hamburg Reformed church.

Surviving are her husband, Kimbey Michael of New Wilmington; two sons, John Michael of R.D. 3, Volant; Paul Michael of R.D. 1, Volant; one daughter, Mrs. Elta Reno, of R.D. 7, Ellwood City; the following brothers and sisters, Fred Scholler of Volant; Harry Scholler of Sharpsville; Mrs. Rose Wharton, Wellsboro, Pa.; Mrs. Mary Dell, R.D. 1, Mercer; Mrs. Clara Stein-grabe, Mercer and Mrs. Elta Sailor, R.D. 2, West Middlesex. Ten grandchildren survive. A brother Frank Scholler and a sister Agnes Scholler preceded Mrs. Michael in death.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from the Cunningham funeral home in Leesburg, with Rev. Weitz officiating.

Interment will be in Volant cemetery.

Friends will be received at the funeral home this evening, from 7 to 9 o'clock and Saturday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m.

Charles A. Longacre

Charles A. Longacre, aged 66 years, of 1115 West Washington street, died at his residence Wednesday following a long illness.

Mr. Longacre was born in New Castle March 17, 1881. He was a carpenter on the Pennsylvania railroad and was retired. During the last few years he worked for the General Floors company. Mr. Longacre was a member of the L. O. O. M. and F.O.E. 455.

He is survived by a number of cousins.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 2:30 p. m. from the residence, Rev. Owen Shields, in charge. Burial will be in Greenwood cemetery. The body was taken from the Leyde mortuary to the residence this morning.

Lane Funeral

Funeral services for Edward Lane, rear 18 West Reynolds street, were conducted Wednesday at 2:30 p. m., from the Crunkie funeral home, Rev. John W. Dixon in charge.

Friends were pallbearers, and interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

STIMSON DISCLOSES MILITARY LEADERS LEFT CONFUSED

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The war secretary said he had a high personal regard for Mr. Roosevelt. He said the president's "vision over the broad reaches of events during the crises of the war has always been vigorous and quick and clear."

No War Cabinet

But, he explained that he was never able to convince Mr. Roosevelt that he should set up a war cabinet, similar to Churchill's in Britain, to coordinate America's worldwide military requirements.

Stimson said he was not "bothered" by his disagreements with the president over details, adding: "It was rather that Mr. Roosevelt's policy was so often either unknown or not clear to those who had to execute it, and worse yet, in some cases it seemed contradictory."

Stimson recalled that he differed with the president on two other occasions on major war policies:

1. He said Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's China command was undermined by Mr. Roosevelt's tendency to listen to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's confidantes and his failure to halt air force "intrigues" against Stilwell.

2. He claimed that Mr. Roosevelt's and Secretary of State Hull's "unrealistic" aversion to Gen. Charles DeGaulle was "embarrassing" Gen. Eisenhower in North Africa inasmuch as the British had recognized the Free French leader.

Stimson devoted much of the 30,000-word installment to the Anglo-American feud over a second front, which he called the "quarrels of brothers."

For two years after Pearl Harbor the British sought to avoid a Normandy invasion, preferring diversionary campaigns in Italy and the Balkans. The issue was settled finally at the Tehran conference in the fall of 1943 when Premier Stalin made his plea for a channel crossing in 1944.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Damage to Los Angeles' Fire Chief John H. Alderson's home today was estimated at \$3,000—that is, fire damage.

The chief was enjoying a Christmas party at home yesterday when he observed three neighbors squirting water on his roof with a garden hose. The roof was on fire.

Alderson called the fire department—something his well-meaning neighbors had forgotten to do.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of my husband, Gennaro Russo, who died two years ago. Sadly missed by one who loved him best.
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NOTICE TO EAGLES

Members are requested to meet this evening at the Eagles Home to go in a body to pay their last respects to Charles A. Longacre at the residence, 1115 W. Washington. GEO. V. COWAN, Pres.

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GREEK REGULARS AND GURILLAS IN STIFF BATTLE

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thiades, proclaimed head of the new regime in opposition to the Athens government, appeared to be the isolation of the Konitsa garrison and capture of the Yanina-Konitsa highway.

The violence of the Rebel assaults and the frequency with which they attacked indicated that the insurgents attached considerable importance to the operation.

Report Heavy Losses
Although an accurate casualty count was impossible, first reports said the Rebels suffered heavy losses, especially as a result of aerial strafing by planes of the Greek air force.

In one sector of the battlefield where the Greek regulars repulsed the Guerrillas and reoccupied their positions in the Piliates area a dozen Guerrilla bodies were picked up.

Greek army casualties in this engagement were placed at two officers and three men killed.

The chief advantage of the Greek government forces lay in their air power. Planes made repeated strafing attacks and at times employed rockets against the Guerrilla lines.

HOUSE PROBE IN OFFICERS' PENSIONS TO BE EXTENDED

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ernment. The army halted the pension and Meyers is now facing Bennett Meyers, retired air force procurement officer, who engaged in private business while in the army, was receiving a \$550 monthly disability pension from the government.

A subcommittee source declared that many reserve officers were given what are known as "Mexican, fluff or flush" promotions boosting them one grade in rank just before they were retired to civil life.

The investigation also disclosed: 1. Some officers held lucrative private positions while receiving "permanent disability" pensions from the government.

2. At least nine cases where reserve officers were retired with disability pensions less than a year after they were pronounced physically in good shape and integrated into the regular army.

Public hearings are expected to get underway around mid-January. Among those expected to be summoned by house probes are Secretary of Defense Forrestal, Secretary of the Army Royal, Secretary of the Navy Sullivan, Secretary of the Air Force Symington, their chiefs of staff, the surgeons

REPORT LaFOLLETTE MAY HEAD PLAN

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because congress has not yet enacted the necessary legislation. This official added that LaFollette may not like the setup created by congress and turn down the appointment. In such case, this official said, Douglas would be named.

Capitol hearings on the Marshall plan will begin in January and the final program may not be enacted until February. The president has urged creation of an administrator, who would be subordinate to Secretary of State Marshall. A counter Republican plan would create an independent corporation, responsible only to congress and outside the state department.

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V. N. Underwood of Hicksville, Long Island, N. Y., is spending the Christmas and New Year holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Underwood of the Youngstown road.

On Christmas evening, Mr. and Mrs. Underwood entertained at a family dinner attended also by their daughters, Mrs. A. E. Sampson and Mrs. Gerald Brown and their families.

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Society AND Clubs

RAINBOW DANCE IN CRYSTAL BALLROOM

Yule season dance of New Castle Assembly No. 1, Order of the Rainbow for Girls, annually one of the outstanding social events of mid-winter for teen-age boys and girls was given Christmas night in the crystal ballroom of the Scottish Rite Cathedral. It climaxed Christmas Day for the crowd of over 200 young couples who attended.

There was dancing from 9 to midnight to the music of an orchestra and noted among the swirl of colorful gowns worn by the girls were a number of semi-formals in the new ballerina length.

Sparkling and festive decorations decked the ballroom, the music was smooth and the dance from all appearances was one of the most successful the Rainbow Girls have given annually for the past 20 years.

Its success was largely due to Miss Norma Long, Worthy Advisor, and Mrs. L. A. Wygant, chairman from the advisory board.

They were assisted by Miss Constance Peck, chairman, Miss Mary Alice Falls, in charge of tickets, Miss Virginia Lightner, of decorations, Miss Donna Allen, music, and Miss Louise Wygant, programs. Members of the Advisory board acted as chaperones.

WOMEN VOTERS VIEW LEGISLATIVE SCENE

In January the New Castle League of Women Voters will meet in conjunction with the Legislative Department of Women's club when matters of current legislative importance to the nation will be discussed and a program will be presented. No meeting of the league was planned for December due to the holidays.

Recently members have been watching with keen interest the progress of legislative measures in connection with the food and inflation emergencies on which the national league has voted support. These measures are as follows:

1. Postpone tax reduction, using any surplus after foreign aid expenses are provided for, to apply to government debt reduction.
2. Continue rent controls.
3. Reinstatement consumer-credit controls (regulation on installment buying).
4. Keep government expenditures to a minimum consistent with efficient operation of essential governmental services.
5. Extend export-import controls beyond February 29, in order that scarce food and commodities may go to the countries in greatest need.
6. Grant power to the administration to allocate wheat in order to ensure the shipping of 570 million bushels of grain to Europe.

Other bills on which the league has taken action are: federal aid to education, immigration legislation, the Voice of America, a reciprocal trade program, the Aiken-Hatch bill in regard to political expenditures, oleomargarine legislation, and the federal food, drug and cosmetic act.

Hostesses for the evening are: Mesdames A. Cohen, D. Frank, G. Levine, Sam Levine, J. Markley, C. Maierman and A. Samuels.

Misses Sylvia and Shirley McCormick entertained the W. S. O. club members at a Christmas party in their home at 409 Shenango street Tuesday evening. A game of truth or consequences entertained the girls, and beside the beautifully lighted Christmas tree they exchanged gifts.

Lunch was served at a table decorated with tiny Santa, snowman and angel candles which were lighted.

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Rozak-Magusiak Engagement
Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Rozak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rozak, 303 East Home street, and John Magusiak, son of Mrs. Victoria Magusiak of Mt. Pleasant street.

No wedding date has been set.

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BETTY DRIO TO WED, ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

Mr. and Mrs. Hans N. Drio of 1205 North Mercer street announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann Drio to John E. Dinsmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Dinsmore, 312 Norwood avenue.

Both Miss Drio and her fiancé attended New Castle high school and Mr. Dinsmore attended Washington and Jefferson college. He is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

She is the owner of the Mimeo Letter shop and Mr. Dinsmore is associated with the Citizens Lumber company.

No wedding date has been set.

ANNOUNCE BETHROTHAL ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Announcement was made Christmas day of the engagement of Miss Jean Marie Arnold of the Y.W.C.A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Arnold, Enon Valley, to Woodson W. Collins, son of Mrs. Mary E. Collins, 411 Epworth street, and the late Winfield S. Collins.

An early 1948 wedding is planned.

Miss Arnold is employed in the offices of the Rieck-McJunkin Dairy Company, this city, while Mr. Collins is a reporter on The News staff.

CLEVELAND NURSE ENGAGED, REVEALED

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Buckley, of 109 Atlantic avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Mary Margaret Buckley, and Albert Edward Dewhurst, son of Mrs. Harry Dewhurst, of Akron, Ohio.

Miss Buckley is a graduate of the New Castle Hospital School of Nursing and for the past two years has been on the nursing staff of Cleveland Clinic hospital, Cleveland, O. She is in New Castle to spend the Christmas-New Year holiday.

Her fiancé is a student at the Case School of Technology in Cleveland.

The engagement will terminate in a summer wedding.

LaVERNE MERRIMAN TO WED JANUARY 2

Miss LaVerne Merriman, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Merriman and the late William J. Merriman of 824 Butler avenue has chosen Friday, January 2, as the date of her marriage to Walter W. Lukart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley H. Lukart, 221 Meyer avenue.

The open church ceremony will be performed at 7:30 p. m. in the First Baptist church.

Miss Phil Marino will be maid of honor, and bridesmaids are Sally and Wilda Merriman, sisters of the bride-to-be.

Richard Hagan will serve as best man. Ushers are: Max Lukart and Robert Lukart, brothers of the bridegroom; to be, Paul Corbett and Tom Daily.

LEAH R. MARLIN ENGAGED REVEALED

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Marlin, of 12 East Moody avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Leah Ruth Marlin, 40 Robert Lukart, brothers of the bridegroom; to be, Paul Corbett and Tom Daily.

Miss Marlin is a senior at the University of Michigan. Mr. Mermelstein is affiliated with the Standard Paper Company of Sharon.

MARY SHUTTLEWORTH AFFIANCED REVEALED

Mrs. Harry S. Shuttleworth of 134 Fairmont avenue announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Elizabeth Shuttleworth, to Thomas C. Elliott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben J. Elliott of 219 East Edison avenue.

No wedding date has been set.

MERRIMAN-HNAT ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mrs. William J. Merriman, of 824 Butler avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter, Sally Merriman, to Michael Hnat, son of Mrs. Catherine Hnat, of 121 Atlantic avenue.

The engagement will terminate in an early spring wedding.

Family Dinner Given

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fisher, of the Mt. Jackson-Hillsville road, entertained at a family turkey dinner served at 1 o'clock Christmas afternoon.

Amid a setting of yuletide decorations and a gayly trimmed tree, music furnished entertainment and a gift exchange was carried out during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Andrews, of this city, were special guests.

Pantherette Club

The Christmas holiday party scheduled by the Pantherette club, December 27, has been postponed until later. The regular meeting on January 6, will be in the South Mill street club rooms. Hostesses were: Mrs. John DeCarlo, Mrs. Dan DeCarlo, Mrs. Ted DeCarlo and Mrs. Albert Barletta.

Engagement Told At Dinner

At a family dinner in the home of Jack Leone, 1326 Barbour place, on Christmas Day, Mr. Leone announced the engagement of his daughter, Elsie Leone to Baron Paglia of Silver Creek, N. Y.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Foster of 412 Martin street, entertained the following guests at Christmas dinner, Mrs. Foster's father, Charles Kinion, and half brother, Leon Ried, of Greenwich, Ohio, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Duff and son Junior of Willard, Ohio. Evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. James Jefferies of Jamestown, Pa.

OPEN HOUSE MARKS 40TH ANNIVERSARY

Christmas Day 1947 marked also the fortieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Taylor, of East Brook, and from 2 to 4 o'clock and in the evening from 7 to 9.

During the day more than 75 guests from New Castle, Hubbard, O., Poland, O., and Portersville called to extend congratulations and Christmas greetings.

Receiving with the couple were their daughter, Mrs. Paul Walker, of New Castle, R. D. 1, and a granddaughter, Mrs. Johnene Taylor, of Warren, O., who aided in serving refreshments to those who called.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and their children, Delores, Ralph, and Beverly spent the day with the Taylors, who received a number of lovely gifts and special greetings from relatives in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were married on Christmas Day 1907 in the parsonage of Oak Grove U. P. church near Rose Point with Rev. W. J. McClintock officiating. For several years after their marriage they lived near Princeton, moving then to East New Castle.

For the past 22 years they have made their home in East Brook.

Hospital Notes

JAMESON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Admitted—Mrs. Minnie McCallister, Pulaski; Charles J. Bradley, 248 Kurtz place; Miss Abbe Panella, R. D. 5; Edward Downey, Wampum; Harrison Reynolds, R. D. 2; Richard Crawford, R. D. 2; Darlington; Mrs. Claudia Carnes, 121 N. Ray street; Louis Jordan, R. D. 1; Ellwood City; Kenneth Meine, R. D. 1; Theodore Miller, R. D. 8; Falls avenue; Miss Sadie Ritenour, 26 East street; Mrs. Elsie Schachach, 186 Ellen street; Slippery Rock; Mrs. Lucy Micco, 1204 Butler avenue; Mrs. Nancy Axe, 112 S. Crawford avenue.

Discharged—Mrs. Althea Kennedy, R. D. No. 6; Mrs. Gertrude Hogue, R. D. No. 3; Slippery Rock; Mrs. Catherine Malizia, 1404 Hamilton street; Mrs. Ruth Holzhauser, 332 Butler avenue; Mrs. Ann Pagley, Edinburg; Mrs. Ruth Specht, 1705 Highland avenue; Theodore Miller, R. D. No. 8; Falls avenue; John McConahy, Church St., Wampum; Wm. McDaniel, Jr., R. D. No. 1; Pottersville; Chester M. Reynolds, 128 Northview avenue; Mrs. Mary Hutsell, 2½ East street; Carl Appel, 718 N. Mercer street; James Barrett, 231 Northview avenue; Rebecca Prosser, George Junior road, Grove City; David Hasely, R. D. No. 3; Carol Ann Kalichun, 603 E. Long avenue; Eleanor Leckwart, 733 Ridge street; Kenneth Galbreath, Kay street, Wampum; Elijah Doster Jr., 1011 W. State street; Paul William Steel, R. D. No. 2; Volant; James Plunkard, 210 Bluff street; Warren; Cilly Jr., R. D. No. 2; Ellwood City; Ollie Critchlow, 1512 Huron avenue; James C. Drake, R. D. No. 2; Mercer; Linton C. Amberson, R. D. No. 1; Edinburg; William B. Rodgers, R. D. No. 1; New Wilmington; Linda Emery, R. D. No. 4; Miss Shirley Eppinger, R. D. No. 8; Mrs. Darlene Biddle, 111 N. Jefferson street; Gene Stacer, R. D. No. 2, Pottersville.

NEW CASTLE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Thomas Sullivan, R. D. 1, Enon Valley; Mary Pepper, 415 Court street; Antoinette Ehrenberg, 1602 Wilson avenue; William Creeley, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Elizabeth Ezze, 1506 Hamilton street; John Wyza, 130 Quest street; Mrs. Ida Wanda Luczak, 204 West Madison avenue; Mrs. Vienna DeAugustine, 516 Electric street; Mrs. Ellen Lindsay, R. D. 1; Mrs. Emma Tevis, 217 Cottage 1; Mrs. Doris Phillips, 312 Sycamore street.

Discharged: Terry and John Chambers, West Pittsburgh; Lucille Recupio, 1010 Agnew street; John Klush, 1112 Sciota street; Charles Chambers, West Pittsburgh; Louis Cozza, 906 Pollock avenue; Samuel Frey, 403 North Cascade street; Mrs. Jennie LaVecchia, 13 West Madison avenue; Mrs. Margaret Forgnone, and infant, 113 North Wayne avenue; George Saad, 402 Waldo street; Mrs. Emma Jane Flynn, 123 West North street; Peter Perrotta, 322 Hawthorne avenue; George Wolfe, 1112 South Mercer street; Louis Lutton, 1026 Croton avenue; Mrs. Josephine Sylvester and infant, 415 Denver avenue; Mrs. Carmela Senchak and infant, West Pittsburgh; Mrs. Mary Cercelli, Edinburg; Rose Russo, 1205 Pollock avenue; Mrs. Evelyn Collins, 310½ Pine street; Louis DeLillo, 610 East Lutton street; Pearl Parks, 517 West North street; William Pritchett Jr., 504 East Reynolds street; Mrs. Louis Kale, 332 Kurtz street; Mrs. Edith Llewellyn, 843 East Washington street; Mrs. Elizabeth Kovalik, 1910 Moravia street.

PERSONAL MENTION

Kathleen Schetrom of Boston avenue is confined to her home with intestinal influenza.

Mrs. A. J. Capezio and son, Ronnie, of Agnew street, have been confined to their home, due to illness.

Miss Margaret Brooks of Akron, Ohio, is spending the Christmas vacation with Miss Helen E. Hoover of West Park way.

Mrs. Sadie Lutton and Miss Elsie Hoover of 521 West Park way, spent Christmas, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson of Youngstown.

Mrs. Edna K. Wood of Zelienople, former resident of this city, is visiting at the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tadd Kirker, 213 East Garfield avenue.

"BORROW" CAR, BUT RETURNS IT

James Davenport, of 312 Galbreath avenue, parked his auto in the Shenango Pottery lot the day before Christmas. Someone took it, drove it and used up four gallons of gasoline, then returned it to its place in the parking lot, Davenport reported.

USO Going Out Of Existence

Plan To Lock Doors Today On 200 Remaining of 4,000 Wartime Centers For Servicemen

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The USO, whose far-flung activities gladdened the hearts of so many servicemen, shuts up shop today.

Although formal liquidation is planned Jan. 9 with a White House ceremony, the 200 centers left from a wartime peak of 4,000 will lock their doors today.

Final Meeting
At his home in Manhasset, N. Y., Dr. Lindsey F. Kimball, USO president, said the final meeting of the agency's board of directors will take place on the day of the Washington ceremony.

By the end of the year, he said, only about 150 paid workers will be left. They are engaged mainly in supervising repairs on buildings used. All show troupes now touring army camps will end their tours no later than Dec. 31.

MILLBURN

The Ladies Friendship club enjoyed a very pleasant Christmas party at the hall on Thursday of last week. A delicious dinner was served by the regular committee with Mrs. Esther Johnston as chairman. Candles and Christmas greens gave the tables a festive appearance. The gift exchange among members was augmented by boxes of food and clothing brought for a needy family.

Mrs. Glasgow and children and Mrs. Harriet Brennenman were guests. The latter entertained by a reading, "Whistling In Heaven". Twenty-nine ladies and ten children were present.

James Drake, who was admitted to Jameson hospital in New Castle for treatment last week, was able to return home this week.

The family of Dickson Stewart, who have been quite ill with bronchial colds, are better.

L. B. Anderson was removed to his home last week from Mercer hospital. His condition remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McKean and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Woods and family were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Anderson. The latter called on Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hoagland of Greenfield Sunday evening.

Mrs. James Patterson and Mrs. Elmer Humphrey attended the December meeting of the D. M. C. at the home of Mrs. Raymie Cox last week. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Snow and daughter Sue of East Liverpool, O., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wasilchak of Sharon visited Mr. and Mrs. Clair Woods on Friday evening.

Mrs. Emma Bougher and Mrs. J. C. Armstrong called on friends in Pittsburgh Thursday evening.

H. A. Blumenshine of Youngstown called on his aunt, Mrs. Harvey Williams last week.

Thelma Hume of Pittsburgh is home for the Christmas vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cummings, Jr., and son Bobby and Mr. Laurel of New Castle called on Mr. and Mrs. Scott Frankenburg on Sunday.

HAROLD CAPITOLA HOME ON LEAVE

S/C Harold Capitola, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Capitola, of 471 East Washington street, is spending a week's leave with his parents and with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Schetrom of 223 Scott street.

Seaman Capitola, has been aboard the U. S. S. Randolph for the past 16 months and effective December 31, he will be transferred to the naval base at Orange, Texas.

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Woman Suffocated In Christmas Fire

EAST LIVERPOOL, Dec. 26.—Mrs. Minnie Carey Swanson, 73, a widow whose first husband was a big league baseball star of several decades ago, was suffocated Christmas day in a fire which apparently started from a cigarette she was smoking.

The woman's body was found on a davenport in a smoke-filled room of a rooming house here, Columbiana county said.

"Her cigarette apparently ignited the davenport after she fell asleep," the coroner reported.

Mrs. Swanson's first husband was the late George (Scoops) Carey, one-time first baseman for the Baltimore Orioles, Philadelphia Athletics and Washington Senators. Her second husband, the late Gus Swanson, was killed a few years ago in a traffic accident.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Appointment of M. W. Reed as chief engineer, United States Steel Corp., of Delaware, was announced today by B. H. Lawrence, vice-president-engineering.

Former vice president-engineering of the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., Reed had served with subsidiaries of the United States Steel Corp., continuously since 1916.

A native of Lexington, Mass., Reed graduated from the United States Naval Academy with a bachelor of science degree in 1916.

ELDERLY MAN IS STRUCK BY AUTO

Carl Nolte, aged 80 years, of 707 Cumberland avenue, was treated at the Jameson Memorial hospital at 2:10 p. m. Wednesday, suffering with a contusion of the right knee, and laceration of the right little finger, received when he was struck by an automobile. According to the report at the hospital, the driver did not stop after hitting Mr. Nolte.

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In View Of News Of The World

By J. C. Ostreicher, INS Foreign Director

King Michael of Romania was reported still waiting today—crown in hand—for permission from his Communist masters to marry the girl of his choice.

Over and above the fact he may lose his throne whether he marries or not for a throne is surely out of place in a Communist-controlled nation, the match promises to be an interesting one.

A union between the House of Hohenzollern and that of Bourbon-Parma should make enticing reading in the future.

King Michael surely has a colorful background, all cluttered with the adventures of his father ex-King Carol and Magda Lupescu, to say nothing of the Zizi Lambino of an earlier time, and those of his grandmother, the volatile Queen Marie.

Banished Into Exile

Even his uncle, Prince Nicholas, married a commoner and was banished into exile.

But the family of Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma is older and more colorful still. Its genealogy boasts wars and the making of kingdoms, assassinations, intrigues, plots and counter-plots by the dozens and scores.

Princess Anne showed her independence of spirit by taking a job in a New York department store, and those who know her claim she is a simple unaffected girl but with a will that strongly displays her ancient heritage.

The Bourbon house dates back to a French baronial family of the 10th century.

Its real greatness, however, actually stems from Henry IV, who married two queens, Margaret of Valois and Marie De Medici, and had countless love affairs that left branches of his house all over the face of Europe.

Fought Many Wars

From 1572 to 1610, the years of his reign, Henry IV fought many successful wars, built much that was beautiful in Paris, vastly extended the colonies and spent most of the nation's funds.

This bold ancestor of the pretty princess, who now has Danish nationality, was assassinated most dramatically. A former valet named Francois Ravallac jumped on the king's coach near the central market place in Paris and stabbed him to death.

Ravallac told his judges he had heard Henry was planning war against the Vatican.

The assassin was put to death in the fashion of the times regarding regicides. His arms and legs were tied separately to four horses facing north, east, south and west.

Looking At Life

By Erich Brandeis

For twenty-eight years this woman had worked hard cleaning offices in Portland, Ore., business buildings.

She was a good cleaning woman and for her age—she is sixty-nine—she had lots of pep and energy.

Then she inherited \$25,000 from a long-time friend of the family.

So she was interviewed by reporters and her picture was taken by photographers.

Overnight she had become a celebrity.

What would she do now that she had become "rich," she was asked. She would keep on working, she said, until she got the money, which would take about six months, probate courts being what they are.

And then this energetic, active, hard-working woman added:

"You know, since I found out about this inheritance, I also found out that I am tired."

So it goes.

With money come luxuries—and one of the greatest luxuries in which one can indulge is being tired.

I remember when I was young and broke.

I was never tired then.

Of course youth may have had a lot to do with it.

But I really think poverty kept me up and going even more than youth.

I simply couldn't afford to be tired.

There was much work to do if I wanted my weekly pay check, and without that pay check I wouldn't have eaten.

And you, I am not in favor of poverty.

But poverty—as a starter—is a great incentive, and doctors have told me that people who become prosperous out of poverty are usually in much better physical shape than those who were born rich.

I think I told you that I recently gave up my desk job in New York and do all my writing at home.

Instead of getting up early in the morning I sleep until nine or ten and work whenever the spirit—or my wife—moves me.

In other words, I am now leading a so-called ideal life.

But, would you believe it? I am much more tired when evening comes than I was when I had to get up early and work until five.

I work less, much less, than I did before, but it seems much more.

I am beginning to watch my weight, to cut down on the starches and to worry about my health.

A lot of people wrote me and told me how they envied me—being able to live just as I want to live.

I still like it a lot. I still like to be what is called in my profession, a "free lance." But I hope that being free doesn't mean getting fat.

I am going to watch that Portland cleaning woman—and myself.

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and west and the nags were lashed to a gallop.

According to well-informed European sources, the romance between Michael and Anne is of considerable duration.

He apparently is anxious to continue as king of Romania but many observers think he believes his royal days are numbered anyway and is not disposed to wait overlong for a pre-nuptial blessing from the Kremlin.

Freed from the dismal restraints of Communism he should make a dashing bridegroom.

The Parent Problem

By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

HOLIDAYS ARE HARD ON MOTHER

These holidays are trying to many mothers. Some of them will be glad when school opens again. In a family of several school children under twelve or fourteen, if their young friends are welcome in their home, as they ought to be, there will be some extra noise and confusion during the holidays.

When by day the children are at school their parents know where these children are. For several hours daily they will be kept busy and safe. Unless there are ideal home controls parents won't—during vacation—know where these children are by day or night. Nor will some children in their teens spend their time as safely physically and morally during the vacation as during regular school days. For some parents there are added anxieties over all school-age children during vacation.

In the family with both school-age children and younger children, the younger ones may feel ill effect of the indoor added crowding and commotion, especially from the radio. In a few other homes, however, the younger children will be happier for the presence of the older ones.

During the holidays there is a tendency among parents to relax on matters of routine and discipline. All members of the family may indulge in over-eating, especially of sweets, resulting often in more colds and other illnesses.

Wise parents who consider such possible handicaps to family health physically and emotionally take measures to prevent or correct some of them. With the school-age children, they will work out some reasonable plans and regulations which the youngsters may be willing to subscribe to. In some instances, however, these regulations will have to be enforced contrary to the wishes of the children.

Among these plans and regulations might be included such matters as the wise use of the radio, the approximate time of day and length of periods for having playmates and pals in or for being in the homes of their friends and elsewhere; the numbers of evenings at the movies and elsewhere; the amount of money each child may have to spend; the hour when each child shall be expected to return home at night; the hour for bedtime for the children under ten or twelve; the definite responsibilities each child will have for jobs about the home during the holidays, and so on.

(My bulletin, "How Teach Child to Help at Home," may be had in a stamped envelope by writing me at 235 East 45th street, New York, N. Y.) Where there are children over seven or eight a kind of family council session early in the holidays should be profitable.

The more of such planning together by the whole family with co-operation between the parents, the fewer emergencies should arise involving arguments, emotional scenes and tensions. The more of understanding, thinking and planning together the less bickering there should be and the fewer occasions for rebukes, jawing, punishments, and correspondingly the more happiness for the whole family should enjoy. For many children this holiday period will be one they will long remember.

Words Of Wisdom

The only way for a rich man to be healthy is by exercise and abstinence, to live as if he were poor.—Sir W. Temple.

From Me To You

By MESEALL

Maybe some think that the snow came twenty-four hours too late and there would have been just a white Christmas Day but there are many who are just as happy that it was a bright sunny day.

Especially boys and girls who found that Santa had been kind enough to leave bicycles. They have all been tried out by now and this snow, while it will curtail cycle riding, the youngsters are not feeling quite so disappointed as if it had all been stored up since yesterday.

We hope that everyone who reads this has a very enjoyable Christmas Day. Large gifts are not everything to make Christmas a happy and enjoyable time, it's the people who are near you that make the day really worthwhile. . . and of course, your frame of mind. How can anyone be mean and contemptible when the most of the world attempts on this one day to be happy.

The next six days will be busy ones. The merchants will be busy helping the recipients of Christmas clothing exchange the gifts for another size, color, or design. Sometimes this exchange of gifts gets out of hand and other years very few exchanges take place. The mind does queer things when it's confused by worldly problems.

This week should be devoted to entertaining and visiting. There is no greater asset in the world than to have friends. . . people with whom you can visit, laugh, and talk together, sit in front of the fire and maybe enjoy a snack of cheese and crackers, or a skillet of coffee. Friends are wonderful but so many times we become so self-centered that we forget.

This week also is the time to make up new year resolutions. . . why not make the No. 1 hit on your resolutions read, I am going to be happy and friendly every twenty-four hours. This you know would make one year of happiness for everyone you associate with.

"Leap Year"



"Long Term" Recovery Plan

(By Holmes Alexander)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 26.—There isn't and can never be under our present Constitution any "long term" European Recovery Plan.

This descriptive phrase will be in constant use throughout the 17 billion dollar pump primer for Europe. But the "long term" phrase is given the lie by another bit of language which lies buried and often unremarked in ERP legislation. The President, according to this clause, "shall cancel aid no longer consistent with our national interests." This means that the President—any president—may decide from day to day what countries get help from the U. S.

This seems proper enough by traditional American statecraft. The President has always been in charge of our foreign policy. But ERP is such a violent departure from past policy that it may require some constitutional adjustments to make it work.

An incident to illustrate this possibility happened in the Senate just before Christmas. Up jumped Mr. Pepper, the Florida Left Winger, to say that he was "sick and tired of seeing the U. S. back Rightist governments all over the world." He went on to declare that many such governments were corrupt and Fascist and that he was dead set against seeing any aided country turned into "another Spain."

What Would Happen?

Well, what would happen to ERP if Mr. Pepper or anyone like him became President? That isn't impossible. Mr. Truman's running mate next year could easily be a man like Mr. Pepper. And the mere accident of death in the White House could make such a man president any time after inauguration day, 1949. He would then have the power to decide from day to day whether an anti-Communist government was Rightist and whether aid to such a country fell within our national interests. A case could easily arise—as another Senator reminded Mr. Pepper—where withdrawal of promised aid might turn an ERP nation not into "another Spain" but "another Yugoslavia."

This matter of presidential privilege opens a big question: "Can we really carry out ERP under our present Constitution." Great Britain in her days of empire was able to extend herself throughout the world because her foreign policy had permanency, being firmly anchored to Parliament and thus to the business and political interests of the British people. Our foreign policy is tied to one man, the president, and subject to the whims of his own minds or the pressure brought upon him from outside sources.

No "Long Term" ERP

That is why there isn't and can't be any "long term" ERP. In order to insure permanency we would have to amend the Constitution so that Congress rather than

the president had charge of foreign policy. Under a quasi-British system, Senator Vandenberg instead of General Marshall would be the American foreign minister.

But before we make any such amendments we will have to accept ERP for what it is. It seems a pity that Mr. Vishinsky ever got hold of the words "economic imperialism." Ever since he used them to describe our foreign policy, American statesmen have regarded the words as some sort of low language written on the back fence by the village roughneck. Our leaders would rather be burned at the stake than admit the plain fact that "economic imperialism" is an exact description of the policy we have undertaken. We are to extend our economy through out the world in the hope of overcoming Communist economy. We are to extend our imperialism over the earth in the hope of shutting off Russian imperialism. There is nothing immortal about this unless one prefers collectivism to free enterprise or prefers Russian dictatorship to American trusteeship.

Until we face up to what the U. S. is really undertaking, we can never bring our foreign policy machinery up to date for long-range planning. And we may suddenly find that we're trying to drive a newfangled automobile with a pair of old-fashioned buggy reins.

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The World and the Mud Puddles

RUSSIAN EGOTISM

One reason for the inability of most Americans to "understand Russia" is their failure to recognize the fact that Communism is a manifestation of an inferiority complex. Basic in the doctrine of envy of those who by industry, thrift or mere good luck, have accumulated property. Those without property, instead of striving harder to acquire it, are content to deprive the owner of his property. This gratifies the egotism of the Red by leveling the property owner down to his own status.

Back of all the vetoes and loud talk of the Soviet representatives on the United Nations is a spirit of bluff, inspired by a feeling of

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They Say

PORTLAND, Ore.—The Rt. Rev. Benjamin D. Dagwell, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Oregon, criticizes certain aspects of the Christmas season: "The Lord is not honored by a fur coat for mother or an electric train for junior, or a turkey on the table."

WASHINGTON—Lt. Gen. Lucian K. Truscott, Third Army commander in Italy, surprises advocates of mechanized warfare: "... had a regiment of well-trained U. S. cavalry been available to me . . . the Italian campaign might have been terminated many months before it actually did."

WOODSIDE, Calif.—Ralph K. Davies, wartime deputy petroleum administrator reacts to publication of his commodity markets activities: "Certainly I have dealt in commodities. It has been one of my normal business activities over the years."

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Gertrude Stein's reaction to the atomic bomb—revealed in her last manuscript: "I never could take any interest in the atomic bomb. I just couldn't any more than in anybody's secret weapon. That it has to be secret makes it dull and meaningless."

Bible Thought

Walk in wisdom toward them that are without, redeeming the time. Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man.—Colossians 4:5, 6.

Says Politics Quite Baffling

By PAUL GALLICO

Take me into your confidence, my friends and peers, you who understand about politics. Is Mr. Henry Wallace off his chump, or does it just seem that way to a baffled citizen who reads what he says with increasing bewilderment.

In a way, it is terrible to approach practical politics with such complete innocence and lack of knowledge as I do, and on the other hand, it is a good thing to reveal this and have a spot to drop the revelation because many fellow citizens must suffer the same way, and maybe if I can get my thumb out of my mouth I can phrase for many of us how we feel.

Political Bats In His Belfry

For instance, the other day Brother Wallace unzipped his bazoo and allowed as how he would prefer to see Senator Taft elected president rather than President Truman, and this baffling statement was what started off the original chain of thought that may be Henry is afflicted with political bats in his belfry.

For I do remember quite clearly that Wallace once served as Vice President of the United States under the aegis of the Democratic Party. Or doesn't that mean anything any more? Or has he turned Republican, and if so, why doesn't he say it so that everyone can understand it?

Not that a guy need be barmy to prefer Taft to Truman. Should they run again one another there are going to be millions of perfectly sane citizens who will, but when a liberal Democrat makes a crack like that is when I get up and look in the mirror to see if I look as funny as I feel. Somebody is teched. Maybe it's me.

Maybe This Is Irony

Then I say to myself—maybe this is irony, and what he is trying to point up is how dreadful it would be if Taft were elected, a position with which I could concur, and in this way we are to gather how much more dreadful he considers the head of his own party. But irony is the most dangerous of all devices, particularly in politics since it is so easily misunderstood, and any politician who makes use of it should really submit his coconut for examination.

But then in the very next exhalation we find Mr. Wallace talking of heading up a third party, splitting the Democratic vote and practically assuring the election of the Republican candidate, and now I am really hot and bothered about Hank's mental processes, because he is hitting me where it hurts.

The political pundits write that in this eventuality the Republicans would not need to nominate a vote-getter but could win with Taft, and this burns me. For while I would not vote for Mr. Wallace for dog-catcher of my home town, Stockton-on-the-Delaware, N. J., since from his record I do not believe he can catch a dog, I might like to have the chance to vote for a Republican of the calibre of Senator Vandenberg, Harold Stassen, or General Eisenhower.

Fence Sitters Decide

For I belong to that great army of citizens who, in the final showdown, decide all national elections, the Fence Sitters, who belong to neither party, but listen to the arguments of both and in the end cast their votes for the man or the organization which, it seems to them, will do the best for the country and for them as individuals in the light of existing conditions. If Wallace were to make the Taft nomination a certainty and his election a foregone conclusion I would have to mark him down as Public Enemy No. 1.

Maybe the Democratic Party needs wrecking, but when I see the sabotage coming from one who has held a great national office as a Democrat, I pass a hand across a fevered brow and ask—who's looney now? And the sounds emanating from the pack baying at Henry's heels do not make me feel any happier that one guy can nullify my chance of making an honest choice between the best Republican and the best Democrat.

Perhaps you can explain exactly what is going on behind Hank's noble and alabaster brow . . .

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Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

DAY AFTER

I believed them yesterday:
Tried to prove their statement true.

Who to grandpas often say:
Age is just a point of view.

I was up at dawn to share
Every minute of delight.

Now, I've aches and pains to bear
And I sigh: "It serves you right!"

If the thought could make it so,
I was just as young as they.

Up and at it I would go
Did my best to keep their pace.

But the truth I soon found out:
Age with childhood cannot race.

Little legs are much too stout.

"Serves you right!" the women say.
"You should learn to be your age."

In the games the children play
Grandpas cannot long engage.

But, when Christmas comes again,
If the Lord shall leave me here,
I will gladly risk the pain
For the fun I had this year!

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Petrillo Says Recording Ban Is Unchanged

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—James C. Petrillo, president of the American Federation of Musicians, AFL, said today that the ban on recordings and transcriptions by 225,000 musicians in the United States and Canada after Dec. 31, when existing contracts expire, will remain unchanged.

Informed of reports that the ban would be lifted, Petrillo replied: "The order will not be changed for years to come. I am deeply convinced that recordings will eventually kill the jobs of our musicians."

"At present the income of our members will be affected very little. We have few unemployed members, and the record-making was extra-income."

"However, we must have in mind that this 'canned music' will eventually throw us out of business. We do not intend to destroy ourselves."

"It would be a joke to change our mind at this moment after 600 record-making companies have almost worked themselves to death. They'd lose millions. But we do not play any games."

Petrillo said his union will receive \$2,000,000 in royalties this year for more than 400 million records sold. He said he expects the sales to rise next year and that his union will continue collecting royalties for the next six years.

Scientists Open Chicago Session

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Subjects ranging from atoms to planets were on the agenda of the American Association for the Advancement of Science which opens a six-day meeting in Chicago today.

Attendance at the meeting was expected to total 7,000.

Leading topics scheduled for the 350 sessions include "science in national affairs" and the "origin of the earth."

Over 2,000 Papers
More than 2,000 scientific papers have been prepared for the general assembly of the association which will be held in a Loop hotel. Meetings will be held in five hotels, at the University of Chicago and the downtown campus of Northwestern University.

Speakers include James B. Conant, president of Harvard University, and Glenn T. Seaborg, co-discoverer of plutonium, the basis of the atom bomb. Seaborg is professor of chemistry at the University of California.

Former Resident Of
Mt. Jackson Dies
Harry E. Brunton, 532 Bell avenue, received word that his father, Harry A. Brunton, of Youngstown, O., and former resident of this city, died Thursday evening.

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Good Taste

By FRANCINE MARKEL

TIPPING IN HOTEL

Question: Please tell me how much and whom I should tip in a small hotel where I shall be a permanent resident for the winter.

Answer: Tip the maid about one dollar a week. If you can afford it, tip the waiter who serves you three meals a day about two dollars a week. Usually when people stay as a permanent resident in a hotel, they tip weekly. However, if you prefer, you may tip daily; but in the end, you will be paying more inasmuch as anything under 25 cents a meal should not be given in a hotel or dining room. Special service by bellboys, etc. should be recompensed with tips, of course.

Question: Is it proper to sign both the husband's and the wife's name on a card inclosed with a shower gift? I always sign my name only but sign both on the card inclosed with the wedding gift.

Answer: If both you and your husband are invited to the shower, both names should be signed to the card. If only you are invited and go to the shower, your name only should be signed on the card. Since both husband and wife are invited to a wedding, both names should be signed on the card.

Question: What is the proper procedure for both sets of parents when a couple announce their engagement?

Answer: The groom's parents should go immediately to call upon the future bride and her parents. The bride's parents should, within a short time, return the call.

Question: What are duties of a page at a wedding?

Answer: He carries the bride's train during the processional but not during the recessional. While the ceremony is in progress, he stands at one side of the bridal party and at the recessional he follows the bride and groom down the aisle.

News Censorship On Mukden Today

PEIPING, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Chinese government authorities imposed a news censorship today on Mukden, communist-threatened south Manchurian stronghold.

Pro-government reports to Peiping told of the censorship, put into effect while red troops continued battering at nationalist outposts some 40 miles to the north and northwest of the big industrial city.

The same sources claimed that considerable government reinforcements had reached Mukden during the past few days. Other nationalist units were said to be driving north into Manchuria from north China proper while still others were reported moving east from Jehol province, aiming to strike the rear of the communist forces threatening Mukden.

Tough Assignment For Correspondent

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—(INS)—William J. O'Hara, a newspaper correspondent, telephoned the Philadelphia Inquirer from Pittston, Pa., yesterday.

O'Hara has been doing that for 28 years, but this Christmas Day call was a hard one for him to make.

The rewrite man who took the story set down these facts:

Francis T. O'Hara, 22, was killed early today when an automobile in which he was riding to an airport crashed into a pole at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

"He was my son," explained O'Hara, "and he was on his way home to our first complete family reunion in seven years. Francis spent five years in the navy."

THE WORLD AND THE MUD PUDDLES

(Continued from Page Four)

inferiority. A small boy whistles loudest, according to the proverb, when passing a graveyard. A suspicious and fretful dog barks loudest in the lonesome darkness. The Soviet diplomats demand twice as much as they expect to get and exaggerate to themselves their own importance by heaping diatribes upon other nations, such as the United States.

Conscious Of Own Impotency

The Russian shouting and name-calling against the "imperialistic" designs of this country spring from a consciousness of our own power and prosperity and of their own impotency. Their recourse to the excuse of "security" in their aggressive expansionist policies is a confession of fear—fear that some little state or group of states will some day threaten their safety. Just as little Finland made the Soviet armies ridiculous until overwhelmed by sheer weight of numbers.

Informed Russians (comprising only an infinitesimal fraction of the whole people) well known that the survival of the nation against the Hitler onslaught was due primarily to the help of this hated capitalist country in the form of food, clothing and military equipment. Like that petty type of human beings who cannot "forget a favor," the Soviet leaders are still smarting under a consciousness of their unpaid and unpayable obligation. It was this complex which kept the governmental spokesmen from acknowledging or revealing to the Russian masses the truth about our contributions until driven into the open by Ambassador Standley.

Some of our diplomats show indications of grasping the peculiar

Russian psychology which involves noisy efforts to cover up a basic sense of inferiority and an inherent jealousy of our governmental system which proved their salvation in a time of desperation. To "understand Russia" is to understand the tactics of the card player who undertakes to run everybody out of the game with a little pair of deuces.

Jet Fighter Plane Completes Tests

LONDON.—(INS)—Britain's latest jet-fighter has joined the Navy. The Submarine Attacker has just completed trials aboard the aircraft carrier Illustrious which were described as "completely satisfactory."

There were many difficulties to overcome in adapting the Attacker—one of the speediest fighters in the world—for landing-on and taking-off on the aircraft-carrier's deck. The comparatively small space available for handling a 600 mph aircraft was a major obstacle.

Main difficulty was that the jet motor throttled back and the pilot could not control the rate of sink when coming in to land—a vital need when landing—on a surface which may rise or fall 20 feet with the movement of the sea.

Experiments aboard the aircraft-carrier proved successful. When coming in to land the pilot sets the throttle and leaves it there.

Attached to the trailing edges of the wings, between the ailerons and the fuselage, are movable control surfaces known as "lift" spoilers.

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Will Apportion World's Drugs

LONDON.—(INS)—The world's drug rations for next year will soon be apportioned by four experts appointed by the United Nations who will meet at the British Ministry of Health in London.

President Sir Malcolm Delevingne is a former Home Office official, who for over 25 years has been watching the world's drug traffic. The other members come from the Permanent Central Opium Board, the U. N. Health committee, and the International Office of Public Health.

Holland uses the greatest variety of dangerous drugs, calling for twelve, the Philippines come second with eleven. Britain uses nine, the United States and France eight a piece, and Russia five.

Britain is expected to use 448 kgs of cocaine, 8,847 kgs of morphine and 2,654 kgs of codeine. This compares with an estimated consumption of 900 kgs of cocaine in the United States, 21,306 kgs. of morphine and 17,500 kgs. of codeine.

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Gas Tax Boost In State Likely

Other State Tax Changes
Also Suggested As
Probable In 1948

GENERAL SALES* TAX POSSIBILITY

HARRISBURG, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Pennsylvanians embarking on a new year of heavier state and local taxation today foresaw the possibility of additional Commonwealth levies in 1949.

An increase of at least a cent in the four-cent gasoline tax is considered virtually a foregone conclusion on Capitol Hill.

A general sales tax, favored privately by many lawmakers who voted for a \$140,000,000 luxury tax program this year, is not considered remote.

Ask Gas Tax Boost
G. H. Duff considered asking for a gas tax boost when the general assembly was in session this year and warned at the time that an increase would be inevitable at the end of the present biennium if the projected billion

dollar road program should be continued. The gas tax is deposited in the motor license fund reserved for highway purposes.

The highway department decided it could have sufficient funds to underwrite all construction that could be undertaken during the two-year fiscal period without requiring an immediate hike.

But Secretary Ray F. Smock has started a campaign to "educate" motorists to the need for more money beyond that period.

The Commonwealth will have to expend approximately \$130,000,000 a year to modernize an estimated 6500 miles of main roads—half of the primary system—and macadamize 4500 miles of dirt routes, Smock said.

Expect To Add \$144,000,000
The motor license fund now has a \$44,332,656 balance. Revenue from the gasoline levy is expected to add between \$144,000,000 and \$180,000,000 by the end of the biennium May 31, 1949.

The state's fiscal experts believe the gas tax would not have to be increased more than a cent to obtain sufficient road building funds. Each cent returns between \$18,000,000 and \$20,000,000 a year.

There appeared to be some doubt whether \$36,000,000 extra revenue for the biennium would suffice since under present arrangements counties receive rebates aggregating a half cent of the tax or about \$18,000,000 a biennium. An additional \$20,000,000 is returned to other local governments. All of

the refunds are used for local road maintenance and repair.

Proponents of a sales tax included the Pennsylvania Real Estate Association who fought for it as a means of reducing local property levies.

Realtors and many lawmakers maintain an impost on sales of all items except necessities would bring in sufficient revenue to eliminate a series of nuisance taxes now returning the state's operating funds.

It is the opinion of some politicians that the sales tax was waived temporarily only to be advanced as a means of paying of veterans bonuses.

The legislature took the first step toward guaranteeing maximum \$500 bonuses to former World War II service men.

Property Law Hits Bachelors

OMAHA, Neb. — (INS) — The community property law may make it tougher for bachelors to obtain loans.

Lewis R. Ricketts, Lincoln attorney, made this prediction to fellow-members of the Nebraska Bar Association at their recent 48th annual meeting. He explained that creditors may shy away from single men, fearing their later marriage would make their income community property and immune to garnishment.

The attorney added:

Wait To Collect
"Creditors in such cases would have to look for separate property owned by the former bachelors, or wait for dissolution of the community property system to collect the debts. In fact, the community property system may create a moratorium on debts contracted by one member of the system."

Another Lincoln attorney, Guy C. Chambers, told the meeting the 1947 Nebraska law was compiled almost directly from the Oklahoma law adopted in 1945.

Laurens Williams, Omaha lawyer, and Perry W. Morton, Lincoln, traced the system to its origin in Spain in the fifth century. They said it was introduced into southwestern United States by early Spanish settlers.

Scotland is called "Sotimaa" in the Magyar language, "Skotsko" in Czechoslovakian, "Iskocya" in Turkish, and "Skocja" in Polish.

Toonerville Trolley:—

By FONTAINE FOX



Two Christmases For Children In Custody Battle

Custody Battle Works Out Good
As Children Prepare For
Another Celebration

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—A second Christmas was planned today for Deedie and Edie Hubbard whose custody is being contested in a long court battle in Chicago.

The children were to be escorted to the Edgewater Beach hotel suite of their foster mother, Mrs. Muriel McCormick Hubbard, who has arranged gifts and a lighted Christmas tree.

Mrs. Hubbard visited the 10-year-old boy and his 14-year-old sister for more than an hour on Christmas Day at the private home in suburban Evanston where they have been living.

Seeks Custody
Mrs. Hubbard is seeking their custody in the court fight with her brother, Fowler McCormick, chairman of the board of the International Harvester Co.

In her visit yesterday she brought a few gifts for the youthful pair, but most of the gifts were saved for today.

Arrangements were made with Miss Elizabeth Meyer, psychiatrist appointed by Superior Court Judge Shabbaro to act as observer during the visits, to bring the children to the hotel for their second Christmas.

During yesterday's visit Fowler McCormick and his attorney, Austin Wyman, were in and out of the room, but no words were exchanged between Fowler and his sister.

Snow Today Causes Slippery Highways

(By International News Service)

A light snow and freezing temperatures glazed western Pennsylvania's streets and highways with a dangerous coating of ice today. Snow was expected to continue falling all day, with temperatures remaining below freezing. Clear and continued cold was forecast for Saturday.

The largest meteorite ever found weighed 36½ tons.

Woman Injured In Auto Crash

Miss Anne Panella, aged 25 years, of R.D. 5, was admitted to the James M. Memorial Hospital for treatment at 3:15 a. m., Christmas morning, suffering from a cerebral concussion and lacerations of the chin and cheek, received when the automobile in which she was a passenger, was sideswiped by another car in Highland Heights.

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Petrillo Fails To Dampen Party For Sun Oil Co.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—Sun Oil Company employees staged a Merry Christmas party at a Philadelphia hotel Wednesday—even though it wasn't a musical one.

And while they tried to be full of the Yuletide spirit, they couldn't help but be more than a little peeved at James C. Petrillo.

The music boss man said if they wanted their company orchestra to play—as had been planned—they would have to pay a stand-by orchestra composed of members of the American Federation of Musicians.

Do Own Caroling
The employees uttered a resounding "no," and did their carolling without music.

Sun Oil Company President Robert Dunlop, departed from his prepared speech to the employees during the festivities, declaring:

"The management of the Warwick Hotel found it necessary to deny our employee orchestra the right to participate in this program due to our refusal to pay tribute in the retention and payment of a stand-by orchestra as requested by the American Federation of Musicians."

"It is our earnest hope that each of us as individuals will become so aroused over such conditions that both individually and collectively we will do everything in our power to return to the nation conditions conducive to full employment under liberty and freedom of choice."

The mongoose destroys not only the eggs and young of the most venomous snakes, but the serpents themselves. It is not immune to the snake's poison, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica, but by its agility and quickness of eye, it avoids the fangs while fixing its teeth in the back of the reptile's neck.

With New Castle Afro-Americans

This evening at 7:30, members of the South Side prayer band, will gather in the home of Mrs. Lottie Guy of 132 Elm street.

Lawrence Lodge No. 18 of the I.B.P.O.E. of W. will hold a special business meeting on Saturday at 8 p. m.

Thinks MacArthur Is Needed Another Five Years In Japan

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The Very Rev. Sylvester P. Jurgens, S.M., superior general of the Society of Mary with headquarters at Nivelles, Belgium, says General Douglas MacArthur is doing a creditable job in Japan.

Father Jurgens is in St. Louis on a world inspection tour of the religious order's schools. He said he believes MacArthur is needed "for at least five more years" in Japan to direct reconstruction of the Far Eastern country.

The priest added:
"General MacArthur is the best-loved man in Japan next to the Emperor. I had conferences with both of them. The Japanese are not starving but they are overfed either. They know General MacArthur is intensely interested in his work. Japan is on the way up as a democratic nation. It is my belief that Japan, not China, or any other country, will be our strongest ally in the Far East."

Father Jurgens plans to visit New York and Puerto Rico before returning to Belgium.

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Curb Frivolous Marriage Pacts

LONDON — (INS) — Princess Elizabeth's marriage seems to have put a new complexion on the marital state as a whole in Britain.

In the past few months ecclesiastical authorities of the Church of England have pointed out repeatedly to their people how "sacred are the vows of marriage" in lengthy sermons on the subject.

Now the registrar-general has put his foot down to curb "light-hearted and frivolous marriage contracts."

To superintendent registrars throughout the country orders have been sent out to register office weddings, which like in America, so often sound like a rapidly mumbled "I now pronounce you man and wife two dollars please" affair.

Among the changes ordered by the registrar-general is an instruction that all couples shall have these words addressed to them before the civil ceremony:

"This place in which you are now met has been duly sanctioned according to the law for the celebration of marriages. Before you are bound in matrimony it is my duty to remind you of the solemn and binding character of the vows you are about to make."

"Marriage according to the law of this country is a union of one man and one woman, voluntarily entered into for life, to the exclusion of all others."

The registrar-general has asked his officials to emphasize the dignity and decorum of the register office weddings and to impress upon the newlyweds that although their marriage is not a church ceremony it is nevertheless just as sacred.

Bishops and clergy of the Church of England have approved this new procedure. Many have attended register office ceremonies incognito recently. The more dignified civil wedding service follows discussions between church leaders and the registrar-general.

It was felt that too many people looked upon register office weddings as if they were taking out a dog license or renewing their license to drive a car.

MacARTHUR STAMPS
MANILA, Dec. 26.—Special commemorative stamps in 46 and 16 centavo denominations bearing the likeness of Gen. Douglas MacArthur will be issued by the Philippines Bureau of Posts, Feb. 3, it was announced today. The issue will commemorate the U. S. capture of Manila.

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Al Borio Leaves For Hollywood

Al Borio, of Van Fleet & Borio, with offices in the Union Trust building, has left for his yearly trip to Hollywood, California. This trip is made each year to purchase merchandise and to make a study of current and coming styles. While in Hollywood, Mr. Borio will work and study with many of the renowned stylists and designers on the west coast.

Studying and buying Hollywood styles gives the people of New Castle an opportunity of purchasing and wearing Hollywood and continental fashions.

While on the west coast, Mr. Borio will purchase the new light-weight sports coat, in the new cardigan style in British Lounge model; sport slacks in light weight, but hard-finished cloths, to be worn with sport coats or open neck sports shirts. His purchases will also include the new "Air Age" sport shirt, called "Tailspin," in pastel shades, which is washable; a complete line of neckwear, both in silk and wool, in Hollywood Fiesta colors.

Mr. Borio will also purchase suitings of Scotland Highland tweeds and Australian worsteds, gabardines and sharkskins in all the new popular California shades, as well as tropical weight worsteds, tropical weight gabardines and shetlands.

Mr. Borio will return to New Castle about February 10th. All merchandise will be on display and ready for purchase on February 15th. He will be happy to extend any information desired after his return to his office in the Union Trust building.

Archery is rapidly increasing in popularity in the United States, according to the National Recreation Association.

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Sgt. Mitchell Is Made Lieutenant

Son Of Commander Of 229th Field Artillery Promoted To Rank Of Second Lieutenant

Announcement has been made of the promotion of Sgt.-Major George F. Mitchell, Jr., to the grade of second lieutenant, attached to the 229th Field Artillery here.

Lt. Mitchell started his military career before World War Two when he enlisted in the Air Corps, December 6, 1940. His training centered around radio and motor mechanics and in June, 1942, he was sent overseas to the Middle East Theater. After several months of duty there, he was sent back to the states, where he joined a combat group as communications chief, and in May 1943, returned overseas, where he served in the E.T.O.

until August, 1945. The group he served with, operated in England, France, and Belgium. He returned to the states and was discharged on September 12, 1945.

When the local unit of the 229th was reformed here in New Castle, he was one of the first to enlist, enrolling as Master Sgt. and was later promoted to the rank of Sgt. Major. At present, he is enrolled as a sophomore at Westminster College, where he is studying engineering.

The 229th has many offers in promotions of this kind, and every man who enlists, has ample opportunity to work and achieve these ratings. Any man wishing further information concerning enlistment in the 229th, can stop at Cunningham Armory, Frank and Huron avenues, any Wednesday or Friday evening.

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Employment Outlook Discussed By Babson

By ROGER W. BABSON
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NEW YORK CITY, Dec. 26.—With more workers employed than ever before in the history of the country, many of my readers have asked, "How long can the boom last?"



Latest figures available reveal better than 43,250,000 persons engaged in non-agricultural industries last month. This employment is close to 60,000,000—an all-time high.

Coupled with this record employment is record wages. For example, in 1939 the average weekly pay envelope for bituminous coal miners was \$23.88. Today it is \$71.19. In other words, the pay envelope is 198 per cent fatter than it was eight years ago. All along the line wages have improved. Now they seem to be leveling off. In fact, some industries such as radio manufacturing, furriers and ladies wear plants, may soon be considering wage cuts.

Business Earnings At All-Time Peak

Last quarter 1947 reports will show better than four billion spent for expansion. This will total up to somewhere around 15 billion for the year—65 per cent greater than the previous all-time high of 1929. Even so there seems as yet little indication of overexpansion. On the contrary, some industries report that unfilled orders are greater now, and still continue to be received more rapidly than at any time since the end of the war. Businessmen everywhere, with few exceptions, acknowledge that business is good. The New York Stock Exchange recently reported 800 companies paid amounts in dividends equal to an increase of 21.5 per cent compared with the dividends for the same period last year. Indications are that coming months will see continued high

employment, unless too great discrepancies develop among incomes, costs and prices.

Grain, Steel And Your Job
Your job and mine will be greatly affected in the coming months by what happens to grain, steel and oil. Grain is the basic source of bread, cereals, producing poultry, eggs and meat. Steel controls the cost of rails, freight cars, farm machinery, household appliances and highway transportation. Oil provides the motive power for the latter.

Under the present conditions two things are needed to help stabilize employment in 1948—(1) controls over the allocation of grain, steel and oil, and (2) a more realistic and Christian attitude on the part of us all to produce more at the least cost. Full employment depends upon increased production and lower prices.

Outlook For Coming Months Good
Right now there are shortages of workers in the great midwest—that Great Magic Circle of the U.S.A. Similar shortages also exist in the southwest. This condition is not true, however, for either the east or west coasts. In New England, the deep south, and the far west, the labor supply is easier now.

There are some shortages along skilled lines—plumbers, electricians, tool makers, sheet metal workers, etc. Best bets for women are no longer on the production line. Industry now prefers men here. There remain nationwide shortages of stenographers, bookkeepers and other office workers. But in all lines only an honest day's work for an honest day's wage will insure continued employment for all you readers.

Ann Sothorn Is Divorced From Robert Sterling

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Film Actress Ann Sothorn, "Maisie" of the screen, spent a separate Christmas holiday from Actor Robert Sterling.

The couple was divorced Tuesday after Miss Sothorn said Sterling, as a husband, was just a source of "grievous mental suffering."

Miss Sothorn received custody of their 3-year-old daughter, Patricia Ann. The couple agreed there was no community property to be divided. They were married May 23, 1943.

HONOR FOR FIRST BABY
READING, Pa., Dec. 26.—Reading's first 1948 baby is going to go to college—no questions asked.

Albright College has announced that it will give an \$800 four-year scholarship to the first child born after the strike of midnight New Year's Eve.

The child will be known as "Bi-centennial Baby" in honor of the 200th anniversary of Reading's founding.

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Five Deaths In Fayette County Over Christmas

Report 16 Violent Deaths In State Over Holidays, Most Tragedies On Highways

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Fayette County today had the rather dubious honor of leading Pennsylvania in holiday deaths with five.

Two deaths occurred when six Uniontown youths had their car crash into a stone wall off a highway. Madeline Morafsky and Louis Yauger, both 20, died shortly thereafter in a Uniontown hospital of fractured skulls. Two of the other passengers were injured.

In Brookvale, near Conneville, a 66-year-old woman and her daughter returning from church Christmas morning were struck by a taxicab. The woman, Mrs. Nancy Moore, died instantly of a broken neck. The girl, 21-year-old Rita Moore, was taken to a hospital with a fractured skull.

Aged Man Killed
The county's fourth traffic fatality was 82-year-old James A. Roberts of Brownsville township, who died when he was struck by an auto as he was walking along the national pike near Brownsville.

Paul Stewart, 41-year-old voluntary fireman of Point Marion, attempted to protect motorists from high tension wires which had fallen onto a highway.

Stewart was electrocuted and killed when he picked up one of the wires.

In all 16 holiday deaths have been reported in Pennsylvania so far.

Search Lake For Missing Crewman

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Coast guard planes planned to join with craft today in the search for a 20-year-old guardsman adrift more than a day on Lake Michigan in a 28-foot motor launch.

Three coast guard boats were unable to find a trace of the missing crewman in an all-day search of the southern end of the lake yesterday.

The man, whose identity was not revealed, left Indiana Harbor, Ind., about 12:30 a. m. yesterday for a return trip to the Calumet Harbor lifeboat station.

He had towed a small craft to Indiana Harbor for repairs and under normal conditions should have returned to Calumet Harbor in an hour, according to coast guard officers.

CHECKS OUTPUT OF HONEY BEES

TORRINGTON, Wyo., (INS)—A Wyoming entomologist, possibly with time on his hands, has been looking into the sex life of the humble honey bee, and he finds there is much room for improvement.

T. R. Robb, bug researcher for the Wyoming agricultural extension service at Torrington, reported that the post-war bee is going right along in the same old rut. Last year they produced about 214 million pounds of honey, but said Robb, with a little control of their more intimate habits, this can be improved.

In addition, he explained, the industry needs bees particularly good for pollination of fruits and other crops, bees adaptable to different climatic conditions, or otherwise fitted for certain special requirements.

Robb has discovered that unmated queen bees given a short of carbon dioxide gas will lay eggs, for reasons best known only to themselves. These eggs hatch into drone bees and make possible speedier production of hybrid strains.

With the gas treatment, plus artificial insemination, Robb pointed out, it is practicable now to develop bees with a definite blood line. This may lead to bees that will produce more honey than ever before.

Under the old system the queen selected her own mate, which led to more, but not always better bees.

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assembled Friday evening in the home of Mrs. James Blackwood, 446 East Washington street.

Miss Laura Bell was in charge of the meeting which was opened with prayer by Mrs. E. A. Crooks.

Miss Sally Barnes served as reader for the Christmas story which was presented in song and verse by a group of girls from Oak Street school.

Miss Grace Eakin, teacher of the sixth grade at Oak Street school and leader of L. T. L., was accompanist.

Many carols in keeping with the Christmas spirit were sung.

Mrs. Alice McKillop spoke on the subject "Safeguarding Our Youth in the Home." She stressed the importance of L. T. L. and W. R. R. work and of praying earnestly for peace.

Mrs. McKillop also read two poems "I Wish My Mommie Wouldn't Smoke" and

"I'm Hoping Mad." "Safeguarding Childhood" was Miss Anna Dadds' topic, while Mrs. E. L. Young discussed "Safeguarding Our Youth in the Church."

Roll call was answered by 25 who gave Christmas verses of Scripture. Reservations are being taken by Miss Bell for the Loyalty Day luncheon January 14, in Highland U. P. church.

A tasty lunch was served by the hostess, aided by Mrs. E. A. Crooks, Mrs. A. C. Gardner, Mrs. C. W. H. Hess, Miss Martha Dadds, Mrs. Ira Butler and Mrs. D. E. McCreary.

Mrs. Clarence Aiken, 209 Fairfield avenue, will entertain at the January meeting, when Miss Laura Bell will be devotional leader. Mrs. Raymond Williams will speak on the topic "Safeguarding Character, Interracial Work."

The railroads of Great Britain include 52,000 miles of track, 600,000 workers, 20,000 locomotives, 1,200,000 freight cars, 41,000 passenger cars, 7,000 passenger stations, 51,000 houses, and 53 hotels.

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New Comet Should Be Visible About First Of January

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The orbit of the new, as yet unnamed, comet streaking through space has been determined tentatively and the "Fire Ball" with its long tail should become visible in the northern hemisphere about January 1, Prof. Harlow Shapley said today.

Prof. Shapley, director of the Harvard observatory, said the comet is mostly a southern hemisphere show, but that it should be bright enough in the northern hemisphere to be visible to the naked eye, possibly during Christmas week.

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Washing Is Huge Task At Jameson Memorial Hospital



—New Castle News Photo

This big ironer, jammed into small corner of laundry, is only one of the mammoth machines that keep 10 employees busy turning out an average of 14 pieces of linen per patient every day. New laundry is planned is proposed new wing.

Every day is wash day in a hospital. And what a wash!

Five to eight thousand sheets, pillow cases, towels, uniforms, and other pieces a day! An average of 14 pieces of linen per patient!

Or in terms of expensive supplies, 10 pounds of soap powder and 10 pounds of soda used every day. Diapers, for instance, washed with one of the finest soap chips available—at a cost of 32½ cents per pound.

(There are 1,000 diapers in circulation at a time—since they are changed at least every three hours.)

For uniforms alone, the Jameson Memorial hospital laundry used one and a quarter barrels of starch last year. (Uniforms for all personnel are laundered at the hospital.)

Fifty gallons of bleaching fluid were used last year in the 612,000 pounds of linen washed at the hospital.

All of which will give the average family—which might send 10 pounds of wash to the laundry every month—some idea of the tremendous job done by what is probably the "most forgotten department" at the hospital.

No one sees the laundry, and the patient whose sheets are changed at least once a day—and often several times—never stops to think that ten people on the hospital payroll do nothing but wash and iron those sheets and the 12,560 other pieces of linen in circulation at one time—or that two of these employees are women who do nothing but mend the linen.

Sanitation Of First Importance
The laundry is the responsibility of Mrs. Eva Morgan, housekeeper at Jameson.

As her title implies, Mrs. Morgan is also charged with the never-ending job of keeping the hospital looking not only "neat as a pin"—but also scrubbed clean, for sanitation is more important in a hospital than in any place else.

Keeping rooms and corridors clean in New Castle is not so easy as it sounds, as any housewife will testify.

To do this job requires 24 full-time maids and 6 men, who start to work with mops and pails and dustcloths at seven o'clock every morning, seven days a week.

One man spends all of his time washing windows—starting at the top floor, working down to the first floor—then starting all over again at the top!

The cleaners try to wash down the walls, scour and wax the floors, and wash all the furniture in a room between the time that one patient leaves and another comes in.

But, because of the critically overcrowded conditions of the hospital, this can no longer always be done—and some rooms must wait through several patients before the wall-washers and maids can "clean house."

Wards particularly are a problem to Mrs. Morgan's staff—they're never empty!

Mrs. Morgan knows every nook and corner of the hospital—she's been there since it opened almost 20 years ago, and remembers trying to keep it looking spic and span while plasterers and painters were still finishing their work.

Veteran Employees
Some of the members of her staff have been with her as long as 16 years. The type of help the housekeeping and laundry departments must have is not easy to obtain.

They must be people who are particularly efficient, always dependable, cheerful for the sake of patients with whom they come into contact, and scrupulously honest.

What does it cost to "keep house" in an institution the size of Jameson? Well, last year, a big chunk of the budget—\$50,000—went to the housekeeping and laundry departments.

How many of us realize, when we pay our hospital bills—or complain about having to do so—that it costs the hospital \$50,000 a year to maintain cleanliness and sanitation?

Like the other departments of a hospital, housekeeping must be on duty night and day. Patient care requires constant attention to all details no matter the hour.

Sheets To Dustcloths
The housewife who is buying sheets at today's prices will be interested to know that the average life of a sheet at the hospital is exactly one year, or about 150 washes.

But this valuable piece of linen isn't discarded at the end of the year.

First, it is cut into yard squares for use as slings. And finally, when it can no longer serve even this purpose, it ends its days ignominiously as a dust cloth.

No one will be happier to see the proposed new wing built at Jameson than Mrs. Morgan—for when the overcrowded conditions of the hospital are relieved, it will make the job of housekeeping much easier.

BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of writer, and also give name of doctor.)

New Castle Hospital

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert DeAugustine, 516 Electric street, a son, December 25.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindsey Jr., R. D. 1, a son, December 25.

To Mr. and Mrs. Albert George Teleis, 217 Cottage street, a daughter, December 25.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips, 312 Sycamore street, a daughter, December 25.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Luczak, 204 West Madison avenue, a son, December 24.

Jameson Memorial Hospital

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burkes, Deshon Village, a son, December 25.

To Mr. and Mrs. Dominick Micco, 1204 Butler avenue, a son, December 25.

Wisconsin Prisoner Picks Christmas Day To Gain His Liberty

WAUPUN, Wis., Dec. 26.—(INS)—An intensive state-wide search was underway today for a convict who celebrated Christmas by escaping over the wall from the Wisconsin penitentiary at Waupun.

New-fallen snow quickly hid the trail of Roman M. Franken, 22, former Milwaukee gunman, after he made an early morning getaway yesterday.

Flees From Kitchen

Warden John C. Burke said Franken was released from his cell at 5:30 a.m. and reported to the kitchen for work. He then slipped

away unnoticed and scaled the prison wall with a hook and rope.

Burke said the escape apparently was timed to take place before the wall guards came on duty at 6 a.m.

An automobile was stolen from a garage near the prison at about the same time that Franken disappeared. The fugitive was serving his second year of a 25-year sentence for armed robbery.

ENTER CLEANING PLANT
Someone entered the Britton dry cleaning plant, Elm street, and stole 50 pennies Tuesday, according to report.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY
Someone broke a window in an attempt to enter the First Christian church. The window was discovered broken at 10:45 a. m. Christmas Day.

Sears, Roebuck Co. Provides Toys

As a part of its national policy, the Sears, Roebuck company here, of which Charles M. Bashew is manager, carried out its local role by providing a considerable amount of toys; in fact, the contributions amounted in value to about \$800.

Toys were given to the City Rescue Mission, Salvation Army and Margaret Henry Home. It required several trips to each place to furnish them with the toys.

In addition, toys were provided for children of several churches.

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WILL BURY BROTHER SATURDAY AFTERNOON

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In addition to a sister, Mrs. Anna Eagle of New Castle, he is survived by his widow, two daughters, a son and two other sisters. Mr. Manny had operated a grocery store in Grove City for 20 years.

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G.N.C.A. Committee Report On Proposed New Taxes In City

Special tax committee of the Greater New Castle Association, on Wednesday presented to council a copy of its report to the directors.

It is as follows:

Report of Special Tax Committee

At a meeting of the Municipal Council November 24, 1947 there was introduced a resolution of intent to adopt an ordinance whereby every person employed in New Castle would be taxed 7 1/2 mills on each dollar earned, and, pursuant thereto, a legal notice appeared in the New Castle News, November 29 and was to have appeared December 6, 13 and 20.

Subsequent thereto, action on the aforesaid resolution was annulled and a new resolution introduced intending to close the loopholes which had become apparent in the first resolution, legal notice of which was published in the New Castle News, December 9, 16, 23 and 30 of December, 1947.

To all intents and purposes the second resolution is in the nature of an earned income tax.

It is quite evident to your committee that great confusion exists as to the meaning of intent and application of the provisions of the aforesaid resolution. Confusion also seems to exist as to what is the aggregate total amount upon which the tax would be levied.

By reference to certain statistical data furnished your committee, it can be substantially shown that the total income, depending upon the method used in making the estimate, will vary between 35 and

45 million dollars. -Your committee believes that 40 million would represent a reasonable estimate.

In the initial news releases relating to the proposed tax it was understood that the mercantile tax and the occupational tax would be done away with.

Your committee recognizes that it is the policy of the association to create a climate favorable to industry, for industry is the backbone of our community. Industry means men and women at productive work. This means pay rolls and pay rolls mean prosperity to all of us, to the workers, the business man, the owner and operator of mercantile enterprises, to the barber, the butcher and the candiedist maker, and it is exceedingly important to our city that we recognize this fact.

Your committee also recognizes that any increase of tax generally meets with resistance, yet, from your committee's observation and inquiry, there appears to be the feeling that if the municipal government actually needs an increase in tax, such increase should be forthcoming. On the other hand, the general response is to the effect that any tax levied should be equitable, and, under the present knowledge, the equity in the proposed levy appears to be open to serious question.

However, if the need for additional tax revenue is supportable, then a discussion of other possible tax revenue sources would seem to be in order.

1. The Real Estate Tax:—At present 13 mills is levied on real estate for city purposes.

Your committee is of the unanimous opinion that there should be no change in this levy until a complete study of the tax program has been undertaken and completed.

2. The Occupational Tax:—The occupational tax is levied according to the classification of the assessed value of occupations, and to all intents and purposes seems to be based upon an estimated income in the low earning group of \$1,500 (assessed value not to exceed 1% of annual earnings—assessed value of laborer \$150). If the present schedule of assessed valuation of the various occupations is doubled, the resulting tax revenue at 13 mills would be \$38,000, an increase in tax revenue of \$44,000.

3. The Per Capita Tax:—It is estimated that there are approximately 30,000 persons living in the City of New Castle over twenty-one years of age. A per capita tax (maximum allowed by law—\$5) would bring in \$30,000 per year of levy. At \$5, the tax revenue would amount to \$150,000, and, as above stated, would be collectible.

4. The Personal Property Tax:—The committee feels that no factual survey of tax possibilities would be complete without mention of the personal property tax. This 4 mill tax yielded the county \$100,000 annually as long as state reports were required. Such a tax

could readily yield the city approximately \$75,000 annually on a 4 mill basis, and existing laws give all authority necessary for the collection of the tax. The committee is not recommending the adoption of this tax unless, after study, an income tax appears justified. In such case, unearned income should not escape its just share of the tax burden, as labor would thus be unjustly penalized.

5. The Proposed Wage or Income Tax:—The presently proposed pay roll or income tax of 7 1/2 mills purportedly applies to wages and salaries, to net profits and income earned by any person in any business, trade or other activity and, assuming, of course, income from all such sources to be 40 million dollars, would result in a tax revenue of \$300,000.

It has been stated that about \$130,000 additional tax revenue is needed for the 1948 budget. The above figures are in addition to the loss of taxable revenue if the mercantile and occupational taxes are done away with.

In other words, the total revenue to be raised by the imposition of the proposed tax is as follows: Loss by removal of occupational tax, \$44,000; loss by removal of mercantile tax, \$34,000; additional revenue required, \$130,000; total \$208,000. Using 40 million as the base, 40,000,000 times 7 1/2 mills, \$300,000; excess recovery over requirements, \$92,000.

We are definitely of the opinion that taxes should not be levied in excess of actual needs.

Your committee has made a computation showing the effect of the application of the proposed payroll tax upon a cross section of the tax paying citizen, that is to say the effect of the tax upon a citizen in several wage or salary brackets, as follows:

Earnings, \$2,500, property assessed at \$4,000, occupational tax, \$250, at 13 mills, and a 7 1/2 percent payroll levy, tax would be increased \$15.50.

Earnings, \$3,000, property assessed at \$4,000, occupational tax \$300, 13 mills, and a 7 1/2 percent payroll levy, tax would be increased \$18.60.

Earnings \$5,000, property assessed at \$4,500, occupational \$400, 13 mills, and a 7 1/2 percent payroll levy tax would be increased \$32.30.

Earnings \$7,500, property assessed at \$6,000, occupational \$600, 13 mills, plus payroll tax 7 1/2 percent, tax would be increased \$48.60.

It is obvious from the above that unless a corresponding reduction in property tax takes place at the time the so-called wage tax is levied, an inequitable situation will be created.

The law authorizing a levy on incomes is of recent origin and we have not been able to secure a copy of any third-class city ordinance; however, your committee secured a copy of Income Tax Ordinance of the City of Toledo, enacted in 1946.

This is a booklet 7 1/4 x 10 3/4 inches and contains 24 pages, exclusive of the cover. The ordinance itself is printed on four pages of this booklet, the remaining twenty pages contain the rules and regulations pertaining thereto. It is really a formidable document.

Your committee is definitely of the opinion that before the city embarks upon any new taxing procedure, competent and qualified consultants should be called in to make a study.

There is great confusion in the minds of the public, due, we believe, to lack of understanding of the subject. Such confusion is not good for this city.

Conclusion:—From the above discussion, your committee is of the opinion that:

There should be no change whatever in the present tax structure for purposes of 1948 tax revenues, pending a thorough study by competent and qualified experts. And,

pending said study, all action on the proposed income tax for 1948 tax revenue purposes should be cancelled and annulled.

Furthermore, we believe this association should urge upon council the desirability of calling upon competent and unbiased consultants (such as the Pennsylvania Economy League) for the purpose of making a study, not only as to revenue sources, but also revenue needs. Such experts could, as a result of the study, make recommendation as to equitable tax levies.

The results of such a study, when made known to the tax-paying citizen, would improve his knowledge as to the problem and needs of our municipal government, and enable said citizen to intelligently arrive at his own conclusion.

Respectfully submitted:

Special Tax Committee—Sam H. McGoun, chairman, Mary E. VanDyke, Louis B. Round, Ralph Audino, William Caldwell, J. B. Foster, committee members.

Two Injured In Vehicle Crash

Two persons were injured, when a motorcycle collided with an automobile at the corner of East Brook street and Croton avenue, at 6:35 p. m. Christmas Day, police reported today.

The injured were Miss Sadie Ritenour, of 19 East street, who suffered a cerebral concussion and lacerations of the scalp, and Milo Miller, of Castlewood. Miller suffered contusions of the left arm.

According to the police report, an auto was emerging from East Brook street, after having made the stop at the intersection, when the motorcycle collided with it. Miss Ritenour was thrown from the motorcycle against the body of the automobile.

WOMAN IS INJURED

Mrs. Minnie McAllister, aged 76 years, of Pulaski, is in the James Memorial hospital, undergoing treatment for a fracture of the left hip, sustained when she fell in her home Wednesday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

ONLY ONE HOLD UP

Only one hold-up occurred prior to Christmas according to police reports. That concerned a man who was robbed in the Seventh ward. No business places were held up by stick-up men during the pre-Christmas season.

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BY WALLY BISHOP



Life Insurance Companies Exempt From Income Taxes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Secretary of Treasury Snyder, following an established year-end custom, today exempted virtually all life insurance companies from payment of 1947 federal income taxes.

At the same time, Snyder declared that the method of taxing life insurance companies "calls for the immediate attention of congress and others concerned."

The treasury chief established a deduction of 100.66 percent on net investment income from insurance policies.

Under provisions of the internal revenue code, he pointed out, life insurance companies are permitted to deduct a portion of their income

from life policies to maintain reserves and pay off obligations.

It was explained that the action relieves all but a "small portion of companies, those doing a relatively large volume of accident and health insurance business", from paying any 1947 tax.

Order Arrests In Ecuador Plot

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The arrest of Presidential candidate Gen. Alberto Enriquez and other persons linked to an alleged "revolutionary" plot was ordered by the Ecuador government today.

Some suspects already have been seized by police. Officials said the conspirators made their headquarters at Guayaquil.

Gen. Enriquez, who is backed by several Socialist groups, recently arrived at Guayaquil to arrange his election campaign.

Linking of the general's name to the conspirators came as a surprise in most political quarters. Army leaders recently expressed their opposition to him.

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James Roosevelt Does Not Want To Be Harry's Mate

BEVERLY HILLS, Cal., Dec. 26.—(INS)—"Under no circumstances" does James Roosevelt, son of the late President, want to be President Truman's running mate in 1948.

A report Roosevelt would be drafted to offset charges from Henry Wallace that the President had abandoned former President Roosevelt's foreign policies and was heading a "war party," was met by this statement:

"I haven't been asked by anybody. It's a little presumptuous to deny I accept when I haven't been asked."

"But in relation to this specific story, under no circumstances would I accept such a nomination. I repeat my whole-hearted support of President Truman for re-election."

Roosevelt said he would not accept the nomination for a "number of reasons," but did not explain further.

229th Members To Get Paid Tonight

Members of the headquarters and service batteries of the 229th Field Artillery will draw their quarterly pay at the armory tonight, Lt. Col. George F. Mitchell, commander of the 229th, stated today.

It had been hoped that the checks for the men would arrive before Christmas, but did not get in until Christmas day. However, the members will welcome it just as much when the distribution is made at tonight's drill session.

Harry A. Brunton Dies At Youngstown

Local friends have received a message telling of the death of Harry A. Brunton, aged 97 years, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at his residence, 356 Ewing road, Youngstown, O.

He was born July 17, 1850, in Clinton, Pa., and left New Castle in 1913 to reside in Youngstown.

Survivors include one son, Harry E. Brunton, New Castle; four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

His wife, Mrs. Anna Shoup Brunton, preceded him in death in 1923.

Funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the southside Shriver-Allison funeral home, Youngstown.

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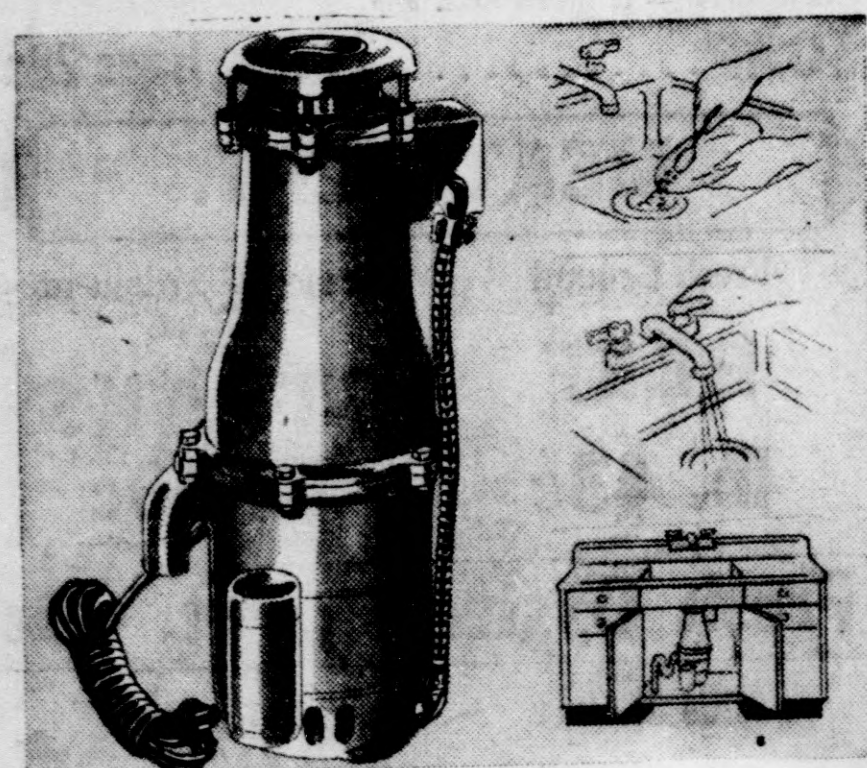
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Miss Emma Newton was at the organ and the age-old Christmas hymns were sung. For a little while the offices passed their usual work in order to mark the season.

MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Charles Herman Beckwith, 510 Logan street, New Castle; Lois Marion Smith, 315 Hillcrest avenue, New Castle.

Jess P. Toth, 233 21st street, Bellingham, Wash.; Ethel H. Hares, 1510 South Jefferson street, New Castle.

James W. Sampson, 129 Second street, Ellwood City; Elizabeth Margaret Luther, 307 Allenby street, Ellwood City; Joseph Brooks, 151 1/2 Oakhill avenue, Youngstown, O.; Ida Harris, 151 1/2 Oak Hill avenue, Youngstown, O.

Heavy Snow Can Injure Trees

Trees look so beautiful under snowy capes it is easy for us to overlook the fact that this may be a fatal beauty, so far as the trees are concerned.

Damp or wet snow is one of the heaviest burdens your trees will have to bear, warns Martin L. Davey, Jr. To forestall possible broken limbs and other serious injury, you should clear snow from your trees immediately after a heavy storm.

Evergreens fall easy victims to snow injury because of their large surface and their tens of thousands of needles and leaves. Notable among them is the spreading yew, a favorite on so many landscapes.

In many instances, evergreens actually are bent and deformed for a long time even when branches are not broken. In some cases, the trees may never get back to normal.

Another winter enemy is the snowdrift, which easily can push an evergreen over. The tree owner's first concern should be directed to the newly planted and younger trees. These may not have the vigor or strength to withstand the strain.

It is best to play things safe. A good rule is to remove snow from even the stauncher evergreens on your property. Many home owners do not know or recognize the necessity for this. Your neighbor probably would welcome this advice.

Retiring Engineer Never Owned Car

NORTH BEND, Ore., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Rube Cavanagh will retire January 1 after serving 33 years as the city engineer of North Bend (pop. 6,500) without ever learning to drive an automobile.

The 68-year-old man never owned a car because he figured they were pretty expensive gadgets to operate. Cavanagh said:

"They used to josh me about it quite a bit, but I'd tell them I never had to waste time stopping at a service station."

Hoofed It Daily
Until recently the stockily built engineer hoofed it morning and night from his ranch home 10 miles from North Bend. Lately he has accepted a ride with a neighbor.

Cavanagh said:
"It used to be nothing to walk 25 to 30 miles a day. But you know, I'm not the man I used to be. Ordinarily, a man can run down a steer. I tried it on my place the other day, and couldn't do it. I could have caught the steers but they started up a slope and that was too much for me."

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Luxury Envoys Are Hurting U. S.

ATLANTIC CITY, Dec. 26.—One of the State Department's most seasoned European observers warned today that Americans abroad were losing friends by "living in luxury" while those around are starving and cold.

William Warwick Corcoran, holder of the Medal of Freedom for the "best-man intelligence job" of the Second World War, delivered the warning in an interview here,

where he is vacationing before retiring from government service a few weeks hence.

"The United States military and civilian personnel should not miss the opportunity to make friends by living nearer the level of these peoples of the countries being occupied," said Corcoran, who toured Germany, France and Italy before returning to America last month.

"They are not now doing so. Respect and confidence are not inspired by such examples."

Corcoran, who has been in the consular service for 28 years and was Consul General at Gothenburg,

Sweden, for the last 12 years, earned the Medal of Freedom by reporting the location of a Nazi V-bomb laboratory on the Baltic sea. It subsequently was destroyed by 600 British bombers.

His "tip," cabled to Washington in code, has been credited with postponing the German V-bomb assault on London six months.

Corcoran said the world's plight never had been so critical as today, but he declared himself "shocked by the attitude of the American people and their unawareness of the seriousness of the world situation."

Two Injured When Car Hits Tree, Upsets

Miss Anna Pauline of Highland Heights, sustained a laceration below an eye and a cut on her leg, and Edward Downing, of Wampum, received a cut on his forehead when the auto Downing drove, struck a tree and upset in Highland avenue, between Glenmore Boulevard and Norwood avenue, at 2:50 a. m., Christmas Day, according to a police headquarters report.

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AFTER CHRISTMAS CLEARANCE

of Men's, Women's and Children's
HOUSE SLIPPERS

AT LOW CLEARANCE PRICES

Men's and Women's **\$1.98**
Regular \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95
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Kidskins, Capeskins, Satins, Shearlings, Sheepskins, Felts, Moccasins, Mules, D'Orsays and Booties. All colors! All sizes in the lots, but not in each style.
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ALL-LEATHER SLIPPERS

Regular \$4.95 Grades
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Hundreds of pairs. Men's, Women's, Boys', Misses and Children House Slippers. Regular \$1.98 and \$2.98. Displayed on tables and racks. Out they go at

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FLOUR
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WHIP SALAD
DRESSING
Qt. Jar **49c**

SUPER SUDS
Large Box **34c**

HEINZ SOUPS, Mushroom, Vegetable, Beef, Chicken Noodle... can 15c

MAXWELL HOUSE
COFFEE... lb. can **47c**

HEINZ
CATSUP... lge. btl. **22c**

OCTAGON
SOAP FLAKES... box **35c**

OCTAGON
LAUNDRY SOAP 10 lge. bars **89c**

RINSO, OXYDOL OR
DUZ... lge. box **37c**

PALMOLIVE — (2 BATH SIZE 27c)
SOAP... 3 reg. bars **28c**

PRODUCE DEPT.

Fancy Red Emperor
GRAPES
2 lbs. **25c**

Large Sweet Juicy
TANGERINES
doz. **25c**

Giant Calif. Pascal
CELERY
bch. **15c**

Fancy
TOMATOES
1-Lb. Carton **19c**

MEAT DEPT.

Fresh Ground
BEEF
lb. **43c**

Grade 'A' Sirloin or T-Bone
STEAKS
lb. **59c**

Fresh Oysters . pt. **69c**

Blue Bonnet
MARGARINE
lb. **39c**

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SAUSAGE
From Pork Butts Only
lb. **59c**

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100% WOOL PANTS
40% WOOL PANTS

6.95 to 8.95 Values

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100% Wool
Tweeds
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The woolens! the pockets! the tailoring! that you get is the same that you find in 6.95 to 8.95 pants. Some are made plain, others come with pleats, cuffs and zippers.

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Good looking, well made winter dress and suit pants at this new low price. Styles and sizes for men and high school fellows.

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6.95 is really all you need pay for a good quality boys' Pea Coat. They have a storm collar, anchor buttons, slash pockets and a full warm lining. Sizes 8 to 18.

5.00 Corduroy Longies

3.98

We should sell them for 5.00! But, we're giving you a treat. Extra heavy, best quality, thick set corduroy. Sizes 8 to 18.

Boys' Sport Shirts

1.00

Some of them are soiled! Others are had patterns but at 1.00, they're a wonderful value. Sizes 8 to 14. Long sleeves.

Our Best Jacket Value Since 1944

**LEATHER JACKETS
GABARDINE JACKETS
WOOL JACKETS**

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Clearance is the word. Come early for the best values. Just think of it, all leather jackets, and fine quality gabardine jackets for 7.95!

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On All of Our Girls'

**WINTER COAT
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9.98 Coats NOW..... 7.49

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Select any girls' winter Coat or Coat Set in our store. Pay the clerk 1/4 less than the regular marked price. Coat Sets for tots 2 to 6 1/2 and girls' 7 to 10. Warm winter Coats for girls 7 to 14 and teens 10 to 16.

CLEARANCE—LADIES'

1.98-2.98 BLOUSES

1.98-2.98 SWEATERS

1.98-2.98 SLIPS

REDUCED TO

1.59

Clearance right out of our own stocks. They all still carry their original price tickets. Stock up now and save. Large selections.

Odd Lots of 1.98-2.98

HAND BAGS..... 1.59

Ladies' 1.98 Printed

COTTON GOWNS..... 1.00

**AFTER-
CHRISTMAS**

**LOW PRICES ON
WORK CLOTHES**

Men's Sanforized

BAND OVERALLS... 1.98

Men's Apron

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Sanforized Blue

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Extra Heavy

MOLESKIN PANTS... 3.49

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CORDUROY PANTS... 5.95

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CANVAS GLOVES... 49

Men's Winter

UNION SUITS... 1.98

Men's Knit

TEE SHIRTS... 85

Men's SWEAT

SHIRTS... 1.69

Men's Plaid

Flannelette SHIRTS... 2.98

Men's 2.98 Dress

SHIRTS

1.98

Every shirt in this group is being sold at a reduced price. White or fancies, some of them are soiled. Neck sizes 14 to 17.

Odd Lot 2.98

SWEATERS

1.49

A group of men's pullover and coat style sweaters, also sleeveless sweaters, slightly soiled.

Girls' 39c Rib Top

ANKLETS

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A special buy of white and plain color Anklelets. Irregulars of a regular 39c grade.

Boys' 1.00 KNIT

SHIRTS... 39

Boys' 3.98

PLAID SHIRTS... 2.98

Boys' BAND

OVERALLS... 1.98

Girls' 1.98

DRESSES

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Our entire line of girls' 1.98 cotton dresses, reduced to 1.59. Sizes 7 to 14. All crisp new styles and fabrics.

Men's 100% Wool

SWEATERS

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Plain color button front Sweaters for men. Beautiful jacquard pull-overs for young fellows. They're all 100% wool.

All Men's 1.00

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2.98 GLOVE and

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Girls' 1.98

MITTENS... 1.00

Men's 1.98 Sleeve-

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Ladies' 6.95

Rayon DRESSES... 3.98

Boys' 3.98 and 4.98

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Winter tweeds right out of our 3.98 and 4.98 line reduced to 2.98. Tans! Browns! Greys. Sizes 8 to 18.

Boys' 100% Wool

SWEATERS

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Boys' bright plain color 100% wool pullover sweaters. They sold for 2.98 and 3.98. Sizes 8 to 14.

Seventh Ward

**Barris Family Has
Christmas Reunion**

Have Splendid Christmas Dinner Together: English Family Join For First Christmas Here

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ransom W. Barris of Mt. Jackson road, members of the family gathered Christmas day for a reunion. Twenty-three enjoyed a splendid chicken dinner at six o'clock, with plum pudding and all the trimmings.

The hostess was assisted in serving by her daughter, Mrs. Mark Daugherty.

Out-of-town guests were Rev. and Mrs. E. Ransom Barris and Erma Jean and Joey Barris, of Utica, Pa. Present also were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Prattley and son, John, recently arriving here from England, who temporarily reside with the Barris family.

Santa Claus (Mr. Barris) was there with his public address system, inquiring as to the children's behavior during the year. Gifts were exchanged among the adults and Santa bestowed good things among the children.

**Remember Teacher
With Lovely Gift**

Members of the Ever Willing Circle Bible class of the Mt. Jackson U. P. church gave a Christmas party at a suburban tea room recently. The affair was in honor of their teacher, Mrs. Ransom W. Barris.

A delicious dinner was served at 6:30.

The honored guest was taken for a tour of the city to witness the wonderful Christmas decorations and lights.

On behalf of the class, Miss Mary Lou Pitts presented Mrs. Barris with a lovely gift.

MOTHER INJURED IN FALL

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCann of 913 West Clayton street have received a telephone call from Cameron, W. Va., stating that Mrs. C. M. Todd, the latter's mother, had suffered injuries in a fall at her home. X-ray pictures will be taken to determine whether her hip is fractured. Mrs. Todd, who will be 92 years of age next May 6, has spent many summers here with the McCann family.

SEAMAN SON VISITS PARENTS

Paul A. Reed of U. S. Navy has arrived home to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Reed of 102 1/2 East Cherry street. He is stationed at San Francisco, Calif., and is attached to the U. S. S. Tarawa.

FATHER RETURNS TO ITALY

Joe Vericella has returned to the province of Salerno, Italy, after a visit of 14 months here with his son, George, of 513 North Cedar street, and another son, Angelo Vericella, of Abington, Ill. He will rejoin his wife and family there, sailing from here on the U. S. Marine ship Perch, on which he arrived in New York October 23, 1946.

He is a veteran of the U. S. Army, World War I.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. James Crea of Mt. Jackson road, who has been confined to her home with illness for about a week, is somewhat improved.

Miss Catherine Clark of Linesville is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Clara Clark, of West Cherry street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Metz and daughter Judith and son, William, Jr., of 923 North Cedar street, are visiting with relatives in Pittsburgh today.

Jack Thompson, who is attached to the National Cash Register company at Dayton, O., is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wade Thompson, and family, of West Madison avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Maron and son, of Parkersburg, W. Va., is visiting with Mrs. Maron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. O'Donnell, of North Ashland avenue.

COST HIM \$30 FOR GOODNIGHT KISS

CHICAGO, Dec. 26. — (INS) — Earl Hullison, 28, Northwestern University student, told police today it cost him \$30 to give his fiancée a goodnight Christmas kiss. Hullison left his car unlocked when he accompanied Miss Mary Spaulding, 27, to her door, kissed her goodnight and then climbed back into his car and drove off. Two blocks away, he told police, a gunman arose from the rear seat and robbed him of \$30.

Vitamins have been shown to have an effect on some forms of insanity.



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with the
MAGIC EYE DOOR

Marvel

Bread..... loaf 16c

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Coffee... 3 lbs. \$1.15

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Oleo..... lb. 32c

SPECIALS FOR WEEK OF DECEMBER 26 TO JANUARY 2



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Dozens of great food bargains are yours this week during our year-end stock reduction. We bring you wide savings in every department during this week's inventory clearance. Start the year off with a full supply of staple, energy building Clover Farm foods priced to fit post-holiday budgets. Shop at our stores, too, for party foods and beverages for your New Year's entertaining.

**NEW YEAR
PARTY FOODS**

**CLOVER FARM
TUNA FISH**..... can 49c
(Selected Meat — Solid Pack)

**CLOVER FARM
SALAD DRESSING**..... 16 oz. jar 33c
(Smooth, Creamy, Double Whipped)

**CLOVER FARM
SANDWICH SPREAD**..... 3 oz. jar 21c
(A Super Quality Spread)

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MARASCHINO CHERRIES**... 3 oz. jar 19c
(Lends Finish To The Cocktail)

**EAGLE
OIL SARDINES**..... 2 cans 29c
(Rich Food Value)

**CLOVER FARM
DILL PICKLES**..... 22 oz. jar 23c
(For The Evening Party)

**CLOVER FARM
TOMATO JUICE**
(THE PERFECT COCKTAIL.)

46 oz. can 29c

**CLOVER FARM
OLIVES**..... 3-oz. jar 29c
(Stuffed Manzanillas)

Add zest to salads and appetizers.

**CLOVER FARM
Tomato Catsup**... 2 14 oz. btl. 49c
(ALWAYS UNIFORMLY TASTY)

**CLOVER FARM
SALT**
(Free Running or Iodized)

2 box 10c

**FROM THE KITCHEN OF
Carolyn Farmer**

Holiday Open House Menu
Assorted Cheese, Chicken, Ham Sandwiches
Celery, Olives, Pickles
Holiday Cookies
Milk
Punch
Coffee

Tomato Soup..... can 10c

Pork & Beans..... can 21c

Peaches..... No. 2 31c
Halves In Syrup

**CLOVER FARM
MUSTARD**..... 8 1/2-oz. jar 10c
Piquant, tangy. Enriches flavor of meats and dressings.

**MILD AND PLEASING
RED CUP
COFFEE**
1 lb. bag 40c 3 lb. \$1.15

SOAP ITEMS ON SALE WHEN AVAILABLE
Ivory Soap..... large bars 21c
PURE AND MILD

CHIPSO
large pkg. 39c

D U Z
(DOES EVERYTHING)
large pkg. 39c

Ivory Snow
(Longer Life For All the Nice Washables)
large pkg. 39c

**NEW POST-WAR
OXYDOL**
large pkg. 39c

**Merle Thomas
On Navy Leave**

Merle C. Thomas Jr., apprentice seaman USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Thomas, Sr., of 1022 Huey street, of this city, is home on twelve days leave from the Great Lakes Naval Training Center, Ill.

Thomas enlisted in the U. S. Navy from here in October of this year and has completed nine weeks of the eleven week recruit training period at the training center. He has been selected for further specialty instructions at the Navy's Aviation School at Jacksonville, Fla., upon the completion of recruit training.

Try The News Want Ads for Results

**HONEST GIRL
FINDS MONEY**

Twelve year old Georgianna Perdue, of 412 Neshannock avenue, found a billfold containing \$75, Tuesday afternoon on the street. She took it to police headquarters where the loser, Miss Jean Audrey Smith, a telephone employee, recovered the money. She gave the little girl a reward for her honesty.

AGED PEDESTRIAN KILLED
DUNCANNON, Pa., Dec. 26. — (INS) — George Young, 80-year-old Duncannon resident was killed today when he was struck by an automobile while walking in a street during a heavy snowstorm.

Police said the automobile was driven by Leroy Bonsall, Jr., 19, Millertown, R. D.

TRY THE NEWS WANT ADS FOR RESULTS

BRENNEMAN'S
Super Friday & Saturday Specials
346 E. WASHINGTON ST.

POTATOES..... peck 53c

COFFEE..... 3 lbs. \$1.09

Milk..... 2 cans 25c

Ketchup... lge. btl. 23c

Sugar..... lb. 10c

FLOUR..... 25-lb. sack \$1.89

RIB ROAST..... lb. 37c

Callies..... lb. 45c

Walnuts..... lb. 38c

Apples..... 2 lbs. 25c

ORANGE JUICE..... 23 1/2c

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE..... 15 1/2c

Prunes..... 2 lbs. 25c

Syrup..... 4-lb. can 39c

Beef..... lb. 39c

Lard..... lb. 35c

Boil..... lb. 25c

Mince Meat... lb. 35c

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Look how you save! You get (1) longer mileage than *prewar* (2) greater safety than *prewar* (3) lower price than *prewar* and TODAY we are offering a special "All-Out" allowance for your weary old casings on new B. F. Goodrich Silvertowns, best in the long run for mileage, safety and value.

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EVERY B. F. GOODRICH TIRE CARRIES
A Lifetime Guarantee

Rev. J. A. Gaiser Heard Wednesday By Kiwanis Club

Pastor Of First Methodist Church
Brings Splendid Yuletide
Message

In a special yuletide message, Rev. J. A. Gaiser, pastor of the First Methodist church, spoke about the far-reaching effects the birth of Christ has had on civilization when he addressed the Kiwanis Club in The Castleton, Wednesday noon, his message being entitled, "Christmas—for old and young."

Rev. Gaiser pointed out that the birth of Christ is recorded as an historical fact, "in Bethlehem of Judea, an out-of-the-way place, with little or no connection with the civilization of its day." History also records that he became an itinerant rabbi, who travelled from place to place, a poor, ragged individual, with no synagogue of his own.

Later, following his death, a group of people became so devoted to his way of life that they called themselves Christians. In 327 A.D., Constantine, Roman emperor, converted to Christianity, made it the state religion.

During the dark age, a group of followers, living in monasteries, kept up the culture of the day, and when the Renaissance came, Christianity burst forth with new vigor. With the discovery of America, Christianity spread to this country, because the people who came here, came for the most part to worship in freedom.

The spirit of Christian giving, although it has become much of a commercial proposition, is imbued with the spirit of giving which Christianity brings about.

So, he stated in conclusion, when we think about Christmas, we should pause and think about the birth of Christ, and what a tremendous effect it has had on history, and what brought it about.

Pfc. Robert Post, son of Dr. J. Wesley Post, who is stationed at Potomac River, Va., with the U. S. Marine Corps, was a special guest.

The Cataphrygians of the second century baptized their dead.

SCOTT TWP.

Mrs. Samuel Hunt spent a few days recently with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Redick of Grove City.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Wimer celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home near Harlansburg last Monday. On Tuesday they were entertained at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wimer of New Wilmington.

Cecil Pullum of Struthers, O., has returned home after a few days visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Double.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wimer of Baltimore, Maryland, have been visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Wimer of near Harlansburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pratt called last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reed McCullough of near Harlansburg.

About forty ladies of the Missionary Society of the Unity Baptist church met last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrah for their Christmas party. A fine program and a gift exchange formed the entertainment and later a fine lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. William West and family spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig and family of East New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ewing of New Castle, and Mrs. Rachel Woods called last Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Martha McCaslin.

Observe Golden Wedding Event

WURTEMBERG, Dec. 26.—Four who attended the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Boyer at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Glasser near Princeton, helped them celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary this week.

The four are Mrs. Edith Leonard of New Castle, and Mrs. Ethel Barton of Pittsburgh, sisters of Mrs. Boyer, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glasser of Greenville, her brother and sister-in-law.

Boyer was a carpenter for the National Tube Company for 25 years. The couple are members of the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church.

Confucius is buried outside the city of K'uh-fow, China.

SALLY'S SALLIES

Registered U. S. Patent Office



"I spent all that money for nothing. He can't smell!"

Around Hollywood

By JOHN TODD

International News Service Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 26.—Luscious Betty Grable knows in her own mind which young lady has the most beautiful legs in all Hollywood.

A goodly section of the population would say they are Betty's own, but she doesn't agree.

She thinks they belong to her daughter, Vicki, who won't be four until March.

Proud Mother

I was visiting Betty on the set of "This Is the Moment" at 20th Century Fox when she produced a picture of her elder daughter taken with Santa Claus at a Christmas party. The conversation went something like this:

"Did you ever see prettier legs than Vicki's, John? Look how nicely shaped they are. And, what is most important, they are nice straight legs."

"Well," I said, "they are very pretty legs, but there's no reason why they shouldn't be. She probably inherited them from you."

"I don't know about that," said Betty, "she could just as well have inherited them from Harry. He has very nice legs."

Handsone Husband

She was referring, of course, to her handsome hubby, Bandleader Harry James.

Betty went on:

"I don't think I'm at all glamorous. I really don't."

"It is possible that sometimes when they get me all fixed up on the set, with my hair done up like it is now, I might momentarily be what you call glamorous, but certainly not my real self."

"Certainly the people who see me when I'm out on tour with Harry wouldn't regard me as glamorous."

Always Glamorous

I stopped her because I've seen Betty many, many times when she isn't working in pictures.

"Now, don't give me that, Betty. I said, 'I've got eyes and I get around a bit.'"

Betty continued: "No, I'm not really glamorous at all. As a matter of fact, Harry doesn't think I have exceptional legs. He says they're too thin."

Harry shouldn't kid Hollywood's No. 1 pin-up girl like that.

One Type Of Cold Virus Is Isolated Two Doctors Say

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Two doctors have succeeded in isolating at least one type of cold virus but they hold only slight hope that immunity to the common cold can be developed.

The men are Doctors Norman Topping and Leon Atlas, representing the National Institute of Health, who have been experimenting on volunteer human guinea pigs at the Lorton, Va., reformatory.

The virus they cultivated in embryonic eggs was said to have caused death in an unusual number of embryos and readily infected the volunteers upon inoculation.

Person To Person

Drs. Topping and Atlas believe the tests have proven that colds are transmitted from person to person instead of being induced by other factors.

The virus they isolated resembled that of influenza but Dr. Topping said the two were "easily distinguishable."

Persons inoculated with the virus suffered fatigue, sneezing, headaches, coughing and burning eyes and some developed more severe symptoms such as chills, hot flashes, laryngitis, fever and sharp pains.

Dr. Topping said the experiments will be renewed early next year with emphasis on the study of possible basic immunity accompanying colds but he expressed doubt that any such immunity if ever developed, will be of significant duration.

Apprehension Over Delay Of British In Palestine Move

JERUSALEM, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Palestine Arabs and Jews were reported growing apprehensive today over Britain's failure to make evident its preparations for the transfer of the Holy Land mandate.

As announced by the British Foreign Office, the mandate is to be surrendered on May 15, 1948.

However, citizens of Palestine feel that the British have taken no visible steps toward the transfer.

Arab and Jewish officials are both becoming fearful that instead of a "handing over" on May 15, the British will effect a "closing down" and merely pull out all the stops.

Such an abrupt closing down, it is feared, would completely disrupt the daily life of the already strife-ridden country.

When the UN commission takes over, it will have to tackle such administrative problems as the treasury, currency, ports, railways, law courts, and public works—for two states instead of one.

In addition, the commission will have to handle the International zone of Jerusalem.

Palestine's two million citizens are wondering whether the UN group—which may not arrive before May 1—will be able to do the job, in view of British indifference.

The Rhine river normally carries more than half of Switzerland's foreign trade.

AFTER-CHRISTMAS SALE

Covert, Fleece, Suede, Nub Wool

COATS

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Values to \$19.99

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Sizes 9, 15, 10, 20
38-48

Sizes 9, 15, 10, 20
38-48



SWEATERS
\$1.88
and
\$2.88
Values to \$5.99



SKIRTS
\$2.00
and
\$3.00
Values to \$6.99



BLOUSES
\$2.00
and
\$3.00
Values to \$6.99

CORDUROY JACKETS

Formerly \$6.99 **\$4.88**

TAILORED OR DRESSY

BOX SUITS

Values to \$45.99 **\$22.88**

SPEIZER SHOP

Next to Citizens Bank, New Castle, Pa.

NEW YEARS NIGHT

CLUBBING EXPENSIVE

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—You'll have to plunk down \$25 for the privilege of singing "For Auld Lang Syne" New Year's eve in Chicago's best hostilities.

Reservations are going fast but they're still obtainable.

Liquor stocks are ample this year, but the confetti is scarce.

And just for a reminder on de-

corum, Police Commissioner John C. Prendergast has detailed 150 extra policemen to the Loop area to keep the peace.

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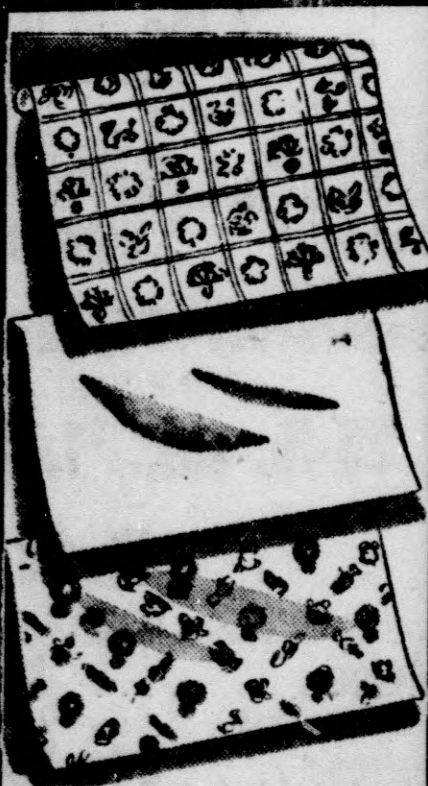
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May Register Communists As Foreign Agents

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Rep. Nixon (R) Calif., disclosed today that legislation to register Communists as "agents of a foreign government" rather than outlaw them will be the basis for congressional action in the coming session.

Nixon, chairman of the House Un-American Activities Legislative subcommittee, reported that hearings will open late next month on possible measures to curb activities of Communist party members and fellow travelers in the United States.

He asserted that he personally will seek to write legislation patterned on a bill introduced by Rep. Mundt (R) S. D., which would require all Communists to register openly as "foreign agents."

Nixon has consistently opposed "outlawing" membership in the party on grounds that it would merely drive Communists underground.

He also indicated that regulations concerning Communist-front organizations will be included in the prospective legislation. The California congressman contended that a full declaration of purposes should be required of front organizations and an accounting of how funds raised by such groups are spent should be made public.

Nixon said he also is contemplating a device specifically aimed at barring Communist party members and sympathizers from federal employment.

Scores Assembly Line Method In U.S. College

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., (INS)—Students are graduated from American colleges and universities like cars rolling off a Detroit assembly line, in the opinion of Ila Mangiantini, former professor at the University of Florence in Italy.

Miss Mangiantini, a petite brown-eyed brunette, is studying American theories of education at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque.

Her impression of the American process of higher education is not favorable. She observed that students in this country are presented a wide variety of subjects which they are required to study for an arbitrary period of time.

Explains Italian System
She explained that in Italy a student may study a subject as long as he wishes before taking a "final examination," which usually consists of a long conversation with the professor.

Miss Mangiantini pointed out European high school graduates are sometimes better equipped to enter college than their American brothers.

She seemed perturbed when she pointed out that "in this country it is possible to receive a university degree without mastering even the English language."

Famous Chicago Reporter Dies

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Chicago newsmen, policemen and public officials were saddened today by the death of "Jimmy" Murphy, veteran police reporter for the Chicago Times.

Known as the dean of the city's police reporters, James Francis Murphy died in the Swedish Covenant hospital last night at the age of 71. He was stricken ill Dec. 13.

Murphy's newspaper career dated back to 1892 when he started as a messenger boy for the City News Bureau.

PITTSBURGH GROUP TO MEET WITH LOCAL UNDERWRITERS HERE
A caravan of officers of the Pittsburgh Life Underwriters Association, composed of Charles R. Gies, first vice president; Harold S. Brownlee, second vice president; and Don C. Blackwood, chairman of Branch Associations will meet with members of the New Castle Branch of the Life Underwriters Association in The Castleton on Thursday, January 8, at 12 o'clock noon.

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EAST BROOK HI MEETS JAYVEES

High school basketball slows to three games this week-end with New Castle, Ellwood City and East Brook scheduled for hoop engagements.

The Tube City Wolverines will close out their December card in a contest slated at Bradford and will be after their seventh victory of the exhibition grind, having experienced but one loss—to Kittanning.

Coach Ted Wallace of the Blue and White warriors is hoping to take the measure of the up-state five and start the Section 3 campaign with a fine record in the books. The "Wolves" have shown fine all-around ability so far and have a team that is not long on height but aggressiveness and well-coordinated with the scoring punch distributed evenly among a bevy of seasoned performers. Wallace also has one of the best reserve units in the history of the school, most of them from the classy junior team of 1946-47, and they have been "logging" plenty of time on the boards. This experience will help no end when the "play for keeps" battles come, and the regulars need spelling.

Double-Header At Washington
Cage fans are in for a double-header treat at George Washington high gym Saturday. Altoona high's Mountain Lions are the No. 1 attraction, meeting the Red Hurricane and in the prelude coach Clarence Ruthrauff's unbeaten East Brook Eagles will square off against Austin Cowmeadow's red-hot JV floormen.

The Hurricane reserves have lost but one contest so far in five outings and their scrap with the tall Section 23 boogymen should prove interesting. The "Brooks" are the only unscored quint in the county and fans will want to come early to see this clash.

Somewhat deflated after the lacing they absorbed at Homestead, the "Canes" will be out to better their 3-2 slate against the Lions. "We just didn't play good basketball against Homestead," was Douglass' comment. "We didn't look like the same team that flat-landed Johnstown last Saturday night. We'll have to be on our toes against Altoona—section winners last year and a big, hard-fighting crew."

The Lions, who are on a junket through this section, will tangle with the Sharon Tigers tonight at the Bengals' court.

State Rabbit Stocking Well Under Way Here

Game Commission Has Released 2,616 Cottontails In County, Adjoining Area

The Game Commission's annual restocking activities got well under way in the northwestern part of the state on December 12 when 2,616 cottontails were released by truck from Missouri and liberated in suitable cover in Lawrence, Mercer, Butler, and Clarion counties. These rabbits represent the first shipment of a total of 13,500 rabbits purchased by the Commission for liberation in the nine northwestern counties. The remainder will be trucked in from Missouri during the remainder of December and January.

The purchase and liberation of cottontail rabbits is done to provide an adequate breeding stock in cover that has been "shot out" during the previous open season and to establish it in cover where the rabbit population is below par due to many other factors. Last year, the rabbit population was almost totally wiped out in some good cover because of the early spring floods.

Although the Game Commission would much rather stock rabbits at a time when weather conditions are more suitable, it is impossible to do so. As spring approaches, the rabbits' vitality is lessened due to having gone through the rigors of a hard winter and it becomes progressively more difficult for the cottontail to adjust itself to new surroundings. Also, the rabbit begins its breeding activities about the first of March and it is no longer feasible to trap and ship them.

All-Star Game Interest High

Westminster College Will Oppose New Castle Stars At Arena Floor Monday

Interest in the Westminster-New Castle All-Stars Optimist Club benefit game at the Arena floor next Monday is mounting rapidly today, it was reported by General Chairman Gus Slovinsky.

The game has been booked for 9:15 o'clock to allow Monday night shoppers and store clerks, a chance to see the game. The first game will start at 7:30 o'clock between two City-County teams, the VFW and Shenango "Y's."

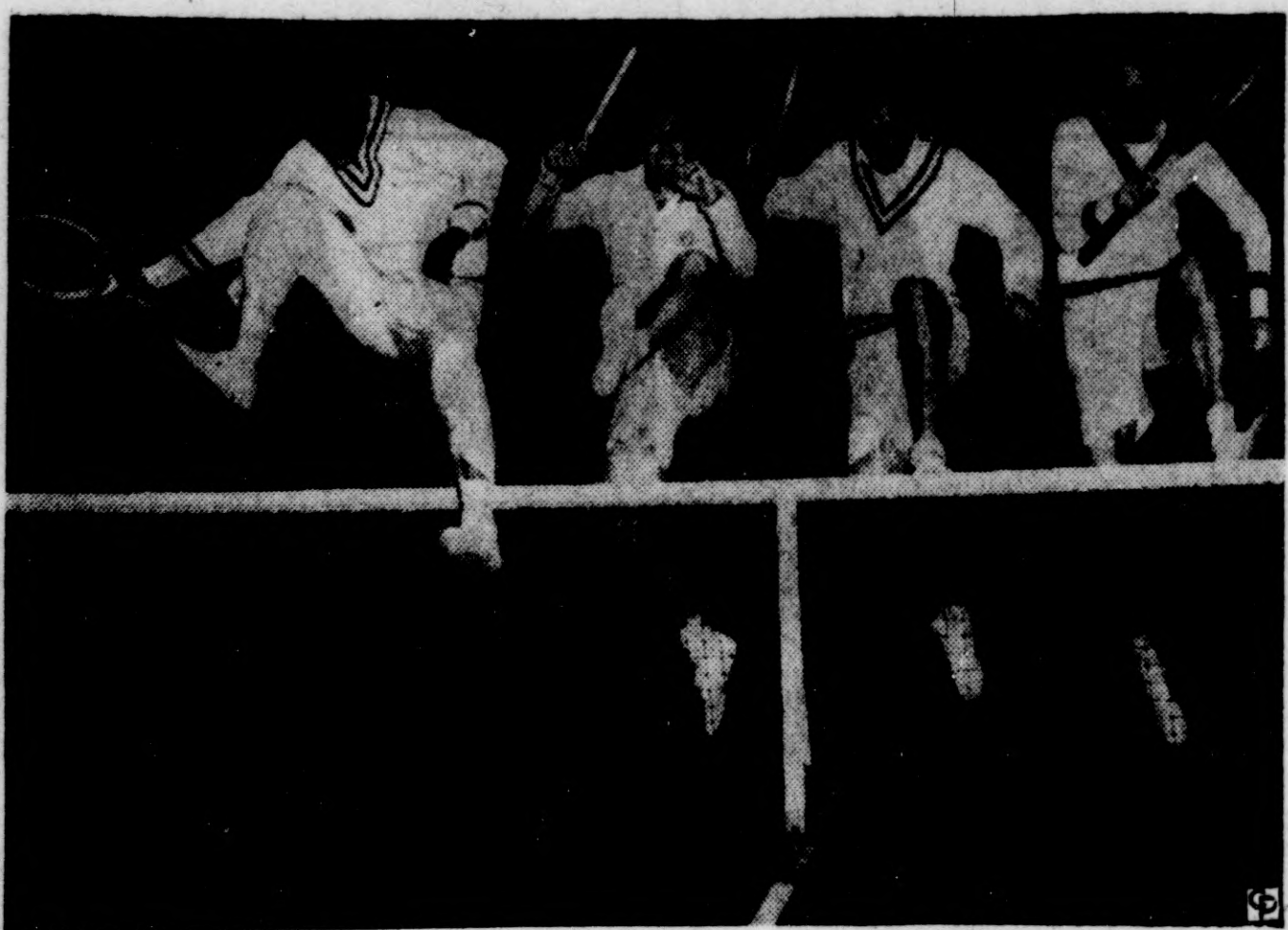
All-Stars Workout
Coaches Bill Douglass and Austin Cowmeadow have held one workout with the All-Stars and have other sessions slated in preparing to meet the sensational Titans, coached by the veteran Grover Washabough.

"We lost a close tough ball game to the Titans last year at the Arena before a packed over 2,000 crowd, and we hope to get revenge this year," Douglass stated.

Expect Big Crowd
The advance sale of tickets by the Optimist Club members has been gratifying, and indications point to another large crowd next Monday. There are no reserved seats. All tickets sell for one dollar. The money derived from the game will go to boy's work fund of the club.

The Titans have defeated Slippery Rock, Geneva, Millersville, and Tech, and have dropped but one to date that to St. Francis. The Titans will come here Monday to try and defeat the best that New Castle has to offer in the way of basketball talent. The two Pitzers, Billy Andrews, and Fred Wimer will make up quite a strong starting lineup for Douglass, plus Don Walters, Chuck Rea, Cash Koszela, Vinnie Kelly, Joey Cooper, John Zubkowsky, Ken Cathart, Flash Wenda, and Bus Strausbaugh.

THEIR NET PROFIT MAY GO UP BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS



HERE COME THE PROS! And quite a glamor parade it is, too. The tennis pros are (from left) Pancho Segura, Bobby Riggs, Dinny Pails and Jack Kramer. Tour opens in N. Y. Dec. 28. (International)

SPORTS

"Halfback Hush" Is Card Secret Weapon

By CHARLES EINHORN
(International News Service Sports Writer)

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Chicago's Cardinals, from Coach Jimmy Conzelmann to a secret weapon known only as halfback hush, underwent their final rigorous practice today in preparation for Sunday's big National Football League championship game with the Philadelphia Eagles.

Halfback hush, it may be disclosed, is Conzelmann's improvement on the play that broke the Chicago Bears' backs as the Cards topped their cross-town foes to win the N. F. L. western crown Dec. 14. That play was the first of the game, an 80-yard pass maneuver from Paul Christman to Boris Dimancheff, who was playing right half for the first time in his career.

Now Halfback Hush is Conzelmann's own answer to the Philadelphia defense "we dread the most—the one where they use an eleven-man line."

Of what effect an eleven-man line may be against the Cards is a moot query. If past performances from the 1947 campaign are any indication, the Eagles need at least a 14-man front wall. Twice the two teams have met and twice the Cardinals have prevailed, by counts of 38-21 and 45-21, the latter disaster occurring only 19 days ago.

At any rate, the Cards were booked for a trying practice session today, during which they were to polish formations and attempt to quell whatever natural overconfidence they may feel.

The Cards are strong 10-point favorites for the Eagle clash. Betting men are discounting the fact that this is the Cardinals' first title shot since the National League was partitioned into eastern and western zones 14 years ago. They ignore this fact on the admirable promise that the Eagles ain't never seen championship warfare neither.

Said Eagles, reportedly in agreeable physical shape and led by Passer Tommy Thompson and the svelte ballcarrier Steve Van Burken, are to arrive in Chicago tomorrow in time for one last workout at Comiskey Park.

Indications are that the weather will be as perfect as is possible for a Dec. 28 in Chicago. The field, already covered by a tarpaulin, will be hard, according to the weather bureau's long-range promise, and temperatures should range in the high 30's with nothing but an occasional football falling from the sky.

Should the weather hold as promised, a sellout 48,000 attendance is more than likely.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Coch Earl (Greasy) Neale pronounced his Philadelphia Eagles in top condition today as the squad prepared to entrain for Chicago.

Neale said the team is definitely "up" for Sunday's National Football League title clash with the Chicago Cardinals at Comiskey Park.

The Eastern Division champions stretched their scheduled one-hour drill at Shibe Park to two hours yesterday, said Greasy.

"I think they would have worked out all day, Christmas or not, if I hadn't called things off."

A. Alonzo Staggs has been coaching football for 57 years.

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WHEN the Philadelphia Eagles, winner of the eastern division crown of the National pro football league, meet the Chicago Cardinals for the loop title Sunday, Dec. 28, in Chicago, the big gun they will have to stop is Charlie Trippi, former Georgia All-American. (International)

Kramer Makes His Pro Debut Against Riggs

By DAVIS J. WALSH
(International News Service Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The tiara and starched bosom will join pompously with the strident cash registered tonight to produce one of the strictly gala moments in the record of carnival tennis—the professional debut of Jack Kramer.

It will be an occasion featuring a five-set showdown with world's professional champion Bobby Riggs in an advertised saga of blue-chip competition that left Madison Square Garden sold practically to the eaves.

When the principals make their scheduled appearance in the arena shortly before 10 p. m., they are expected to play to a capacity 16,600 and a record gate in excess of \$52,000.

Old Record Less
The old record, made by Ellsworth Vines and Fred Perry some 10 years ago, was approximately \$5,000 under that figure.

But that was only a "formula" affair between the listed pro and amateur champions of the year. Whereas, tonight's billing was the kind that coaxes one, "if at all, in the average era."

Kramer, the most lauded of world's amateur champions since the golden dynasty of Tilden, versus the man whose dominion is unchallenged in the field of professional tennis.

He has beaten them all for three straight years with a strange combination of talent, gumption and ego; and the smart money was saying that he would do it again with Kramer tonight. But nobody wanted to back the homebased in that connection.

UTES MEET TITANS ON EASTERN TOUR

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Utah University cagers open a six-game schedule in the east tomorrow night when they meet Canisius at Buffalo, N. Y.

Coach Vadal Peterson predicted "no triumphant tour" for the Utes, principally because of a tough schedule including four games in five nights.

The Utes still have most of the squad which last year upset Kentucky in the finals of the Madison Square Garden invitational tournament.

In addition to Canisius, the Indians will meet St. John's in the Garden December 30; La Salle at Philadelphia January 1; and Westminster at Farrell, Pa., January 2.

FLYERS TROUNCE HERSHEY BEARS

HERSHEY, Pa., Dec. 26.—(INS)—The St. Louis Flyers trounced the Hershey Bears 6-4 last night in the Sports Arena in an American Hockey League tilt witnessed by approximately 6,300 persons.

Wingman Norm Larson accounted for three of Hershey's goals, scoring once in the second period and twice in the final frame with the aid of Babe Pratt and Frankie Mario. Mac McLenahan registered the fourth goal.

The rocketing line of wingmen Billy McComb and Paul Gladu and center Don Grosso nicked goalie Gordie Henry for five of the Flyers' goals.

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PULASKIS CARD ALTOONA SUNDAY

'Big Five' Will Shoot At Sixth Straight Win Sunday At Arena Floor

Sunday at the Arena the K. Pulaski "Big Five" will play the strong Altoona Indies at 3:30 o'clock, it was announced by Coach Al Gonet. The Pulaskis will be out for victory No. 6, without a blemish on their record so far.

The Indies are made up of former high school and college stars and are reputed to be the best in Blair county. "We are anxious to get over the six mark," Gonet stated. The K. P. "Big Five" is looking ahead to a series with the Elks club, for the ultimate Lawrence county championship.

Three Big 9 Fives Threats In Title Chase

CHICAGO, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Illinois, Iowa and Purdue today loomed as distinct threats in the pre-season dope to capture the Western Conference 1948 basketball title.

They are the three leaders in the tune-up games for the Big Nine title race which gets under way Jan. 3, and are expected to offer the most opposition to such favorites as Michigan, Indiana and Minnesota.

Refending Champion Wisconsin was not given much chance to repeat. The Badgers have lost three in six starts thus far this season. In the pre-season tune-up, thus far, the Illinois and Iowa, Hawkeyes remain undefeated. The Illinois have won six straight and the Hawks four straight. Purdue shows five victories and one defeat to date.

Unbeaten Dukes Meet Santa Clara

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Coach Chick Davies' undefeated Duquesne basketball team will face another stiff test tonight when it squares off against a strong Santa Clara five at the Gardens, Pittsburgh.

The visiting Broncos have won five out of their six games. Their latest victory was over Georgetown, the only team to beat Duquesne in the regular season last year. The West Coast's only defeat so far, came at the hands of the UCLA. The very next night the Broncos turned the tables and downed the UCLA's.

The Dukes have won all three of their games without too much difficulty. A victory over Santa Clara would definitely mark them as one of the top teams in the nation.

IN JUNIOR TENNIS FINALE
NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Sidney Schwartz of the University of Miami opposes Daniel Rivkind of Brooklyn today in the final round of the eastern junior indoor tennis championships.

Several players from all parts of the country who competed in the eastern tourney also are entered in the national indoor championships, which get under way today at the seventh regiment armory.

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HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS' LAND

TWO former teammates will be facing one another for the first time on New Year's day in the Alligator bowl at Jacksonville, Fla. They are Tom McHugh and Joe Geri. A few years back they played for Phoenixville, Pa., high school. McHugh now plays for Maryland and Geri for Georgia. Both are specialists in extra-point kicking. Geri was All-State (Pennsylvania) before joining Georgia. McHugh, on the other hand, was All-Suburban and All-County for Phoenixville. McHugh is used exclusively on the line for Maryland. . . . Christmas having come and gone, it's turkey bones today. . . . That plane which travels faster than sound is almost as fast as a bad story. . . . Hugh Devore, former Notre Dame coach and at present, mentor for St. Bonaventure, will be the principal speaker when the Phillipsburg, N. J., quarterbacks dine December 29. . . . Captain Al Wistert of the Philadelphia Eagles has this to say concerning the Eagles' defeat 21-0, of the Pittsburgh Steelers, which brought the eastern title to the Eagles: "The game was won Saturday in Philadelphia, where every man gave a short speech, telling how he thought the game could be won. We knew right then that we wouldn't be defeated." . . . Reports from Buffalo state that Jeff Clanton, opponent to Elkins Brothers here, January 7, has begun whipping himself into condition for what he expects to be a gruelling fight. Brothers will find Clanton is no push-over, more clever than Ike Bell, and a better puncher.

Mercer County Fox Association will meet at the I. O. O. F. hall, Hamburg, at 8 p. m., December 30. . . . Lawrence County Sportsman's Association will meet the second Tuesday night in January when President-elect Herman Steinbrink and other 'elects' will be installed. . . . Joe Louis will tour England during March. . . . Because he wants to coach, Gene Hubka, speedy halfback who played collegiate football at Bucknell, and was used sparingly by the Steelers this season has asked for his release. . . . Lloyd Mangrum took the Montebello, Calif., open golf tourney by one stroke in an 18-hole play-off with Ellsworth Vines. It was worth \$2,000. . . . Australia's Lawn Tennis Association may challenge the U. S. for the Davis cup in 1948, because of the federal government's determination to conserve dollars. . . . Primo Carnera, former world's king of heavyweight boxers, now a wrestler, has been issued an immigration visa under which he can eventually become an American citizen. His wife and two children are seeking entry to the U. S. under the Italian quota. They are in Genoa.

Elks Engage Butler BISC Quint Tonight

Locals Have Tough Chore Against County Seat Five At Washington Floor

Coach Paul Morrison sends the New Castle Elks quintet into action tonight at the Washington High floor against the strong Butler BISC team at 8:15 o'clock, following a preliminary game at 7:15 o'clock in which the Elks Reserves play the Fannins of this city.

The Elks in meeting the BISC team face one of the best in western Pennsylvania, and one that extended the K. P. "Big Five" here a week or so ago, the locals winning a 48 to 44 battle.

The BISC's have defeated such teams as Pittsburgh Pirates 53-50 and House of David 31 to 26. On the BISC roster are such stars as Frankie Webster, former Slippery Rock captain and star; Larry Paffar, former Pitt star; Larry Brown, Frankie O'Hara, former Westminster ace; John "Sonny" Pataky, formerly with Pitt; Andy Opalka, Bill Thompson and Leo Zilla, former West Liberty State Teachers luminary.

The Butler team is coached by William Hulton, business manager of the Butler Tanks of the Mid-Atlantic league. Last year, their first in pro ball, the BISC won 33 out of 37 games.

Elks Improving
The Elks, who began the season by dropping three straight to Westminster, Geneva and Youngstown colleges, have had a fair success to date, and are showing steady improvement.

Coach Morrison believes that he has the Elks at razor's edge for the contest tonight. He will have the two Pitzers, Koszela, Walters, Carey, the Jacksons, Woner, Adams and others ready for play.

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Two Escaped Convicts Taken After Gun Fight

KING CITY, Cal., Dec. 26.—Two escaped convicts lay wounded in a King City hospital today following their capture in a gun battle that ended a wild automobile flight of more than 300 miles, during which the desperadoes kidnapped a woman.

A police officer also was wounded in the Christmas day gunfight at San Ardo, 15 miles south of King City, Salinas river town in the Central California county of Monterey.

The abducted woman, whom the fugitives held overnight after stealing her husband's car, was released unharmed shortly before the battle.

Besides the kidnapping, the convicts staged three auto and two cash robberies as well as a slugging before pursuing police caught up with them.

In critical condition at King City's community hospital was Hershel Graham while his partner in the 24-hour bid for freedom, Eugene Earp, was less seriously hurt. Police Officer Aaron T. Flowers was in the same hospital with two bullet wounds in the leg.

Mrs. Olive Mertz, 44, was reunited with her husband after a terrifying experience of being held captive by the fugitives while they were the quarry of a manhunt.

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Soft Coal Output Increases In Year

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—The strike-free soft coal mines have produced 17 per cent more fuel this year than they did in strife-ridden 1946, the Bituminous Coal Institute reported Tuesday.

The extra output was quickly snapped up by fuel-hungry factories at home and abroad, the institute said. Coal exports rose 63 per cent, and industrial consumption in the United States increased 13 per cent over last year.

More than 590,450,000 tons of soft coal had been dug in 1947 by the middle of this month, the institute said—a gain of 86,000,000 tons over the total output for 1946.

The sharp upswing was regarded as attributable to the relative peace which has prevailed between John L. Lewis and the mine owners this year.

Predict Satellite Red Nations Will Approve Greek Move

PARIS, Dec. 26.—(INS)—The two Communist newspapers of Paris, L'Humanite and Ce Soir, predicted today that the Communist proclaimed "free government" of Greece will be recognized soon by Soviet Balkan Satellite nations.

Specifically these countries are Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Albania. Ce Soir asserted that the council of ministers of the new Communist government already are in contact with "democratic peoples and their government".

L'Humanite asserted that the Americans and British will not be able to continue their aid to the Athens regime, which it termed "Fascist Rebels", when they are openly opposed by so-called Democratic countries.

Woman Scientist Gets Denver Health Job

DENVER, Dec. 26.—Dr. Florence R. Sabin, 76, noted woman scientist who came out of retirement to lead a successful fight for stronger public health laws in Colorado and the city of Denver, will head the city's manager of health and charities January 1.

Dr. Sabin now is president of the Western branch of the American Public Health Association and formerly was connected with Johns Hopkins and the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research. Mayor Quigg Newton announced her appointment.

DAILY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1. A rod for roasting meat
5. Short sleeps
9. Weird (var.)
10. A bulging jar
11. Snare
12. Intensity
13. Expels breath violently
15. The stitch-bird
17. Split pulse (India)
18. Chart
21. Fly aloft
23. Beverage
25. Greek letter
26. Pertaining to the moon
28. Become bad
30. Erbium (sym.)
31. Rude dwelling
33. Bacchanal cry
34. Little sister
36. Kind of cap
38. Type measures
39. Miner
42. Amazon estuary
43. High
45. Ardor
46. Biblical name
47. Join together by fusing

DOWN

1. Clique
2. Native of Persia
3. Put into a class
5. Hose spouts
6. Toward the lee
7. Combining form meaning: fluid substance of a cell
8. Salt (chem.)
14. Devour
15. Little islands
16. Nymph of Mohammedan paradise
19. Proverb
20. Heaps
22. A cheer
24. Simian
27. City (Vt.)
29. Becloud
32. Dancer's cymbals
35. Graduated measure
37. Insects
40. Verbal
41. Orient
42. A church bench
44. Unit of illumination

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KDKA	WCAE	WJAS
6:30—Mildred Don	News; Music	Musica
6:45—Three Star Extra	Romance with Music	Lowell Thomas
7:00—Supper Club	Baron Elliott orch.	Benjamin
7:15—News of the World	Melodies: Political	Jack Smith Show
7:30—Bernie Armstrong	Lone Ranger	Bob Crosby Club 15
7:45—Bernie Armstrong	Lone Ranger	Edward R. Murrow, News
8:00—Highways in Melody	Fast Man	Baby Snooks
8:15—Highways in Melody	Fast Man	Baby Snooks
8:30—Can You Top This?	This Is Your F.B.I.	The Thin Man
8:45—Can You Top This?	This Is Your F.B.I.	The Thin Man
9:00—People Are Funny	Break the Bank	Mark Warnow's orch.
9:15—People Are Funny	Break the Bank	Mark Warnow's orch.
9:30—Waltz Time	Death Valley Sheriff	Suspense
9:45—Waltz Time	Death Valley Sheriff	Suspense
10:00—Mystery Theatre	Fight Night	It Pays To Be Ignorant
10:15—Mystery Theatre	Fight Night	It Pays To Be Ignorant
10:30—Bill Stern	Fight Night	Spotlight Review
10:45—Pro and Con	Fight Night	Spotlight Review
11:00—News	11th Hour News	News
11:15—Musical Interlude	Gene Krupa orch.	Sunny Dunham orch.
11:30—American Novels	Gene Krupa orch.	Sunny Dunham orch.
11:45—American Novels	Gene Krupa orch.	Sunny Dunham orch.
12:00—Midnight Club	Swing Shift	News
12:15—Midnight Club	Swing Shift	Charlie Spivak orch.
12:30—Midnight Club	Swing Shift	Signature

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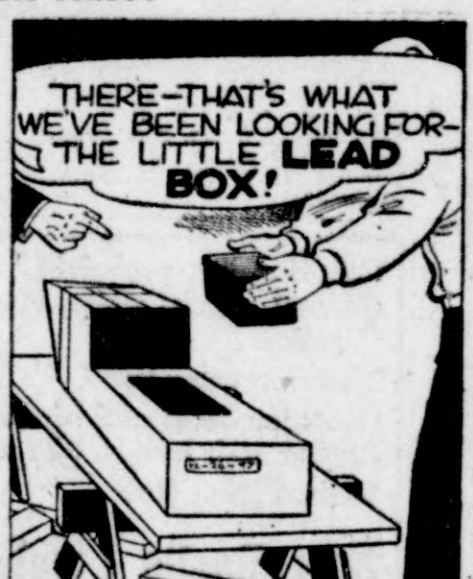
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DRIVER HURT IN ACCIDENT ON ELLWOOD ROAD

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Executrix's Notice

Letters Testamentary in the Estate of Ora Book, also known as Ora J. Book, deceased, late of Second Ward, of the City of New Castle, Pa., having been granted, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment and those having claims to present them without delay to Mrs. Florence E. Salmon, Executrix, 108 Norwood Ave., New Castle, Penna. MAURICE LEVINSON, Esq., 300 L. S. & T. Bldg., New Castle, Pa. Legal—News—Dec. 19, 26, 1947; Jan. 2, 1948.

Administratrix's Notice

I hereby give notice that letters of administration in the Estate of Emma Gibson, deceased, late of Mahoning Township, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania, have been granted to me by the Register of Wills of said County and I request all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent to make payment to me without delay. MRS. JENNIE M. McFATE, R. D. No. 7, Mahoningtown, Pa., Administratrix. WILLIAM McELWEE, Jr., Attorney. Legal—News—Dec. 12, 19, 26, 1947.

Annual Meeting

The Policy Holders of the Western Pennsylvania Mutual Fire Insurance Company will hold their annual meeting and election of officers in the office of the company, No. 516 Lawrence Savings & Trust Building, New Castle, Pa., on Tuesday, January 27th, 1948 at 4 o'clock P.M.

OLIVE MILLER ENGLISH, Secretary. Legal—News—Dec. 26, 1947; Jan. 12, 26, 1948.

FORMER RESIDENT

DIES IN YOUNGSTOWN

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Biddle of Edenburg of the death of their brother-in-law, James M. Dunnan, aged 64, at his home in Ventura, Calif., on December 24, following an illness of several weeks. He was preceded in death by his wife, Jessie Biddle Dunnan in May 1943.

Mr. Dunnan was a resident of Mt. Jackson for many years and later lived in Warren, O. He is survived by one daughter, Elizabeth Dunnan at home. The time of the funeral is not yet known, but the body will be brought to Warren, O., for burial.

CHARGE HIT AND RUN

Automobiles parked in the 400 block of East Division street, owned by Joseph J. Gallonio, Anthony Toscano and Andy Gallonio, were struck and damaged by a car allegedly operated by Peter P. Bessel, East Washington street, who surrendered this morning at police headquarters.

The accident occurred at 1:55 p. m. Christmas day. The car was traced to East Washington street and the operator appeared this morning.

He was charged by Police Chief Robert D. Hanna with being a hit-and-run motorist. Bessel waived a hearing and posted bail before Alderman J. C. Brice for court action.

TREND LOWER IN STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Light selling pressure plus a thin market brought fractionally lower prices in stocks this morning.

Only 130,000 shares changed hands in the first hour.

Rails were uniformly lower.

Great Northern and Illinois Central dipped about a half point each.

Santa Fe Ry. common sold down to 94½, off 1½. Steels, including U. S. Steel and Bethlehem, were soft.

Utilities were dull and firm. Oils were mixed in a narrow range.

Chrysler and General Motors drifted lower. Montgomery Ward reacted nearly a point. American Can, General Electric, United Aircraft and American Telephone trailed small fractions.

Grains opened lower with the bid for Chicago May corn off more than a cent a bushel. Losses in Cotton Futures ran to as much as 40 cents a bale.

U. S. government bonds, off sharply Wednesday when the federal reserve system lowered its support price, were practically unchanged. Curb shares followed a narrow, mixed trend.

PRICES AT NOON

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A T & S F.	95¼
Amer Loco.	20¾
Amer Roll Mills.	31¼
A T & T.	150¼
Amer Smelt & Rig.	56¼
Anaconda Copper.	34¾
Amer Can Co.	77½
Armour.	14¼
B & O.	12½
Barnwell Oil.	39
Bethlehem Steel.	103½
Baldwin Loco.	14½
Briggs Mfg.	31½
Canadian Pacific.	117½
C & O.	43¼
Col Gas & Elec.	117½
Consolidated Edison.	21¼
Cont Can Co.	31½
Cont Motors.	8
Curtiss Wright.	4¾
Chrysler.	63
Elec Auto Lite.	53¼
Elec Power & Light.	16¾
Great Northern.	40
General Foods.	35
General Motors.	57½
General Elec.	34¾
Glenn Martin.	14¾
Goodrich Rubber.	57¼
Gulf Oil.	76¼
Hudson Motors.	20¾
Inter Nickel Co.	267½
I T & T.	13
Kennecott Copper.	48¼
Montgomery Ward.	55¾
N Y C.	14½
Northern Pacific.	21¼
Nash Kelvinator.	18
National Dairy.	27¾
Ohio Oil.	53¼
P R R.	18½
Phillips Petrol.	61¾
Packard Motors.	47¾
Pepsi-Cola.	23¾
Phelps Dodge.	47¼
R K O.	8¾
Rep Steel Corp.	27¾
Radio Corp.	9½
Rem Rand.	13½
Relex Drug.	7¾
Sheraton Corp of Amer.	7½
Socoy Vacuum.	17
Std Oil of N. J.	79
Std Oil of Cal.	62½
Std Oil of Ind.	42¾
Studebaker.	21½
Stewart Warner.	14¾
Sears Roebuck.	37
Standard Brands.	26¼
Sinclair Oil Corp.	17¼
Texas Corp.	60¼
Tid Wat O.	23¾
Twen-Cen Fox.	22¼
U S Steel.	79
Union Car & Car.	100¾
United Corp.	2½
Warner Bros.	12¾
Westinghouse Elec.	30½
Woolworth Co.	45¼
Western Union.	20¾
Young S & T.	79

Henry Home Grateful For Fine Support Of Local Organizations

Christmas days in other years at the Margaret L. Henry Children's Home on Friendship street have been exceptionally cheery, but the celebration yesterday was the most outstanding in the history of the home, it was reported today by Mrs. Lida J. Green, matron of the home.

Although the Christmas spirit had prevailed for several days among the boys and girls due to the many programs and treats given to the children, the celebration reached a high pitch on Wednesday evening, when the children presented their own program before a large assemblage of relatives and friends. Climaxing the program, the appearance of Santa Claus, portrayed in his own inimitable style by William Wray for the 28th consecutive year.

Christmas dinner was served to 50 including boys and girls who remained in the home and some guests. Special thanks is expressed to Miss Agnes Brown who aided in the serving. Christmas cards and packages were received from every state in the Union and even from England during the period.

Through Mrs. Green and Mrs. Bertha Patterson, matron and assistant matron, respectively, the thanks of the children of the home is expressed to every one who so generously donated their time and money to brighten the lives of the boys and girls at Margaret Henry Home. Members of the Pro Indus club are to be commended in the manner they looked after the boys and girls.

The board of directors of the home extends a happy New Year to all those who remembered the home also.

If you're past 30, eat less. The State Health Department, noting that overeating is one of the most common adult nutrition problems, advocates a cut in food consumption after 30. Fat persons are more likely to die sooner than those slightly below normal weight, the department said.

Stop-Gap Aid For Europe Is Requisitioned

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Acting Secretary of State Lovett declared Wednesday that the United States has already requisitioned 150 million dollars worth of stop-gap aid requirements for shipment to France, Italy and Austria.

In the meantime, discussions have already been instituted with the receiving countries to determine the types of goods which must be cut down in view of congressional appropriation slashes.

Lovett told a news conference he assumes that the recipient countries would cut down on the less essential types of commodities. The final result should be known within a week, he added.

Will Bear Down
Elsewhere it was understood that the receiving countries will bear down on industrial goods rather than food and fuel to lessen the impact by the standard of living as far as possible.

It was also learned that an agreement is being negotiated with France to control the distribution of relief goods in that country. Such agreements were negotiated with Italy and Austria under the earlier 350 million dollar relief bill which did not cover France.

Asked whether the rehabilitation of western Germany will come within the Marshall plan, Lovett replied that this had been recommended by the 16 powers which attended the Paris conference on long term reconstruction.

However, he pointed out, that there will be a separate occupation program to prevent disease and unrest in the occupied zones.

Fugitive Picks Wrong City For His Hideaway

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—(INS)—A fugitive from a New York City murder charge picked the home of Nanticoke, Pa., to make his hideaway.

By coincidence, Nanticoke is the home town of William J. Keating, assistant district attorney at the New York Homicide Bureau.

Keating got the report that police suspected Charles Russo, 35, an ex-convict had headed to the town after allegedly slaying Michael Vignola, of New York, on Dec. 19.

Police Rout Slayer
Keating called Police Chief John Smerski of Nanticoke.

"Hello, Chief," said Keating, giving Smerski all the details about Russo, "will you watch out for this man. He may go to the home of Mrs. Mary Ziolkowski."

With his whole force of eight men, and four state troopers, Smerski surrounded the Ziolkowski home.

Four tear gas bombs brought Russo out.

Russo, held for New York police, is charged with slaying Vignola because the latter molested Russo's nine-year-old daughter born by a woman who was formerly the sweetheart of the fugitive.

One of the most famous streets of London takes its name from the Italian "palla," a ball, and "maglia," a mallet. The game was called "Pale Maille," where a round ball was struck with a mallet through a high iron arch. The game was played in a long alley near St. James parkway, and the street is now called "Pall Mall."

After the age of 50, the function of the taste buds deteriorates, the amount of saliva decreases, and the use of dentures increases.

NEW RUBLES FOR OLD IN MOSCOW

At a state bank currency exchange station in the Scientists' Central Club in Moscow, a clerk exchanges a woman's old rubles for new ones in line with the Government's currency reform. Up to 3,000 rubles, the holder received ruble for ruble. Over 3,000 rubles, the exchange was at the rate of one new ruble for ten old ones. (International Radiophoto)

Siamese Twins Die In Indiana

Bodies Of Babies Joined At Top Of Skulls To Be Used In Scientific Study

BEDFORD, Ind., Dec. 26.—(INS)—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Speer, parents of the Siamese twins who died yesterday in Indianapolis, said today that the bodies of the little boys will be given to the Indiana University Medical Center for scientific purposes.

The little boys were born November 29 in Bedford with their heads joined at the tops of their skulls. They were rushed to the medical center in Indianapolis, where a fight to save their lives ended Christmas Day when they died an hour and 15 minutes apart.

The parents said they did not plan to hold services for the babies, whom they had never seen. The twins were delivered by Caesarean section.

Since the juncture of the Speer Siamese twins was believed nearly unique in medical history, the parents expressed the hope that the gift of the bodies to the I.U. center would be of scientific value.

The bony structure which joined heads of the babies was approximately 15 inches in circumference and is believed to have contained common brain tissue.

Governor Duff Makes Promotions

HARRISBURG, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Brig. Gens. Daniel B. Strickler and Charles C. Curtis, were promoted to major generals by Governor James H. Duff in a top-level reorganization of the Pennsylvania National Guard.

Strickler, who is also lieutenant-governor, will remain commander of the 28th Infantry Division.

Curtis, the senior general officer, will retain command of the 51st Anti-Aircraft Artillery Brigade and receive command of all components other than the infantry division and its attached 11th Combat Team. He had served as acting commander of the new permanent assigned units.

Adjutant General Frank A. Weber will continue administration of the 53rd Fighter Wing.

Truman Dispatches Birthday Greetings

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—(INS)—President Truman sent birthday greetings today to Gov. General Mohamed Ali Jinnah of Pakistan.

Mr. Truman's message said: "I am happy on this national holiday of Pakistan to send you my sincere birthday felicitations, and to convey to you and the people of Pakistan the good wishes of the people of the United States."

Jinnah's birthday is being observed as a national day by the newly created independent nation.

Recluse Will Get His Last Request

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Somerset county authorities reported today that Edward Hoover, 77-year-old recluse who died in a shack along the railroad, will have his request for a \$10,000 monument over his grave fulfilled.

A will was found after the retired school teacher's burial last month disposing of a \$3500 estate. Hoover had also asked to be buried in a new suit and a copper casket.

The will listed six bequests to hospitals and welfare institutions.

In 1945, the American public contributed \$16,000,000 for research and care of patients with infantile paralysis, which represented \$13,490 per death.

YULETIDE FINDS U. S. FORCES SPREAD AROUND THE GLOBE



Christmas, 1947, finds American troops stationed overseas at the bases shown by Christmas trees: (1) China—5,000, (2) Korea—40,000, (3) Japan—120,000, (4) Philippines—30,000, (5) The Marianas—18,000, (6) Alaska—18,000, (7) Hawaii—20,000, (8) Canada—500, (9) Caribbean Defenses—18,000, (10) Greenland—800, (11) Germany—120,000, (12) Austria—10,000, (13) Trieste—5,000. Size of small units are not given.

ALMOST HALF THE STRENGTH of the United States regular forces is outside the continental United States as Christmas finds American soldiers and sailors unable to attend the traditional holiday season at home. In addition to occupation forces, the U. S. maintains considerable strength, estimated at from 60,000 to 70,000 naval and marine personnel, at our overseas bases. In addition, some 226,000 men are aboard naval vessels outside the continental waters. It is estimated that a total of from 600,000 to 700,000 American forces are "on guard" outside the States.

CHENNAULT TAKES CHINESE BRIDE



HONEYMOONING in Shanghai are Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault and his Chinese bride, the former Anna Chan. The 57-year-old wartime chief of the gallant Flying Tigers, who was divorced last year by his first wife after 25 years of marriage, is operating an airline network for the Chinese relief and rehabilitation administration. The 28-year-old bride has been a reporter for China's Central News agency. (International Soundphoto)

FIRST BIRTHDAY FOR HENN QUADS



BORN A YEAR AGO in St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore, Md., the quadruplets of ex-GI Charles Henn and his British wife are shown going to town on their first birthday cake. Although they were born prematurely, the children are strong, full of life and vigor. They are (l. to r.): Tommy, Bruce, Donald and Joan. (International Soundphoto)

CORRECTS CITIZENSHIP ERROR



PASSING HER PRELIMINARY citizenship test, Mrs. Stella Lewandowski, 58, takes the oath from deputy county clerk Sanzani in Hackensack, N. J. Mrs. Lewandowski, a widow who lost three sons in World War II, mistakenly thought she was an American citizen by virtue of her husband's papers. The discovery that she was not a citizen was made when she sought to join the American Gold Star Mothers, Inc. (International)

PARTING OF ROYAL COUPLE



LEAVING Lausanne, Switzerland, to return to Denmark, Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma gets a royal send-off from King Michael of Romania, her reported fiancé. At right is Queen Helena, Michael's mother and former wife of ex-King Carol. (International)

ROSE BOWL QUEENS MEET



FORMER QUEENS of the Rose Bowl call on Virginia Goodhue, the present queen, to present their congratulations. The former queens are (from left, standing) Mrs. Sally Stanton Rubenstein, 1941; Mrs. Mildred Miller Stevens, 1942; Mrs. Margaret Huntley Main, 1940; and Norma Christopher, 1947. (International)

BRINGING UP FATHER BY GEORGE McMANUS



Rejected Suitor Commits Suicide

Widower Holds Philadelphia Family of Seven At Bay, Seeking Girl, Then Suicides

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26. — (INS)—A family of seven today related a tale of Christmas eve terror in which a rejected suitor held them captive for eight hours with a shotgun before committing suicide.

Vaughan J. Templeman, 52, a widower, shot himself in the stomach just as three policemen arrived at the home in suburban Roslyn. The householder, William E. Lybrand, 49, had furtively telephoned for help.

Served Time Before
Lybrand said Templeman was enraged because Lybrand's sister-in-law, Caroline Curen, 37, had refused to marry him.

Miss Curen was stabbed seven times last January by Templeman, who served three months in jail for the offense.

Templeman stormed into the house at 5 p. m. on Christmas Eve with the gun. Lybrand was in the home with his wife, their three children and her parents.

According to Lybrand, Templeman shouted: "Caroline is coming here for Christmas Eve. Then I will kill all of you except Caroline. I will kill myself. Caroline will never be able to forget what I am going to do."

The family talked steadily in an effort to quiet the intruder. Templeman finally went upstairs for a moment and Lybrand called the police.

Commits Suicide
When Miss Curen failed to arrive by 1:30 a. m., Templeman walked out on the porch and ended his life.

In Templeman's pockets were found four shotgun shells with the names of three judges and the district attorney of Philadelphia scratched on separate shells. He told the Lybrands he had intended to kill them, too.

Duff Still Seeks Competent Man For State Liquor Board

HARRISBURG, Dec. 26.—(INS)—Gov. James H. Duff is still seeking a competent man to fill the \$10,000 a year vacancy on the state liquor control board.

He is awaiting a reply from the latest prospect for the job, a man he describes as an extraordinarily well qualified person. The prospect, not identified, is supposed to make a decision after the holidays. The job has been open since the death of William S. Rial in 1941.

Several men approached by the governor have rejected the proposal because their salaries in private business were more than five times as great as offered by the state, according to Duff.

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B-17 Forced Down In Labrador. Believe All Nine Crew Members Are Safe

GOOSE BAY, Labrador, Dec. 26. —(INS)—A C-47 transport plane, equipped with skis and regular landing gear, stood by today ready to take off from Goose Bay for frozen Lake Astray to rescue nine crew members of a downed B-17.

The B-17 Flying Fortress was located yesterday on the frozen lake, 275 miles northeast of Goose Bay airfield, deep in Labrador's icy wilderness. All nine crew members were reported safe.

Supplies Dropped
Search planes have already dropped food, clothing, and medical supplies to the stranded men. A helicopter is also being made ready at Goose Bay to assist in the rescue operations.

The downed fortress was on a Christmas mission, delivering gifts to Baffin Island, when it was forced down.

Grove City Doctor Taken By Death

GROVE CITY, Dec. 26.—Dr. J. B. Perrine, 58, a physician in Grove City for more than 30 years, died suddenly of a heart attack Christmas eve in Akron, O.

Dr. Perrine and his wife had gone to Akron to spend the holidays with a daughter. His death occurred exactly one month after that of his son Harvey, a music teacher at Canonsburg high school. The younger Perrine died of a head injury suffered in a fall.

The physician is survived by his wife, one son and three daughters.

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\$29.50 Bags.....\$19.95
\$36.50 Bags.....\$26.50
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\$19.98 Gown Set.....\$12.98
\$8.95 Nylon Gown.....\$7.98
\$2.98 Slips.....\$2.50
\$3.98 Suit Slips.....\$3.50
\$1.00 Panties.....50c

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Junior and Misses' DRESSES

Values to \$19.75 **\$8.00**

Beautiful crepe, wool and flannel dresses in drape, tailored and two-piece styles. In grey, blue, navy, pink, wine, toast and green. Junior and Misses' sizes.

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FOR THE HOMEMAKER THAT SEWS...

Here are a group of white cottons that will help the homemaker with her mid-winter sewing.

36" Fine Grade Muslin.....39c
36" Fine Grade "Hope" Muslin.....49c
42" Sheeting Muslin.....69c
54" Sheeting Muslin.....98c
45" Pillow Tubing.....89c
36" Dotted Swiss.....59c
44" Dotted Swiss.....98c
36" Permanent Finish Organdy.....69c
36" Permanent Finish Organdy.....98c
36" Indian Head.....69c
36" Striped Dimity.....59c
36" Fine Grade Broadcloth.....98c
36" Oxford Cloth.....79c
36" Burton's Poplin.....\$1.19
27" Outing Flannel.....29c
27" Outing Flannel.....39c
36" Outing Flannel.....45c

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